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Nazi 'Ultimatum' To Switzerland

MORE ARRESTS OF BRITONS IN JAPAN

Alleged Espionage

Craigie Pleads For Their Early Release

SHANGHAI, July 29.

An eleventh British subject, L. T. Wooley of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, Kobe, has been arrested in Japan.

It is reported that all were held on charges of espionage.

The Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, is understood to have pressed for their early release to-day when he saw Mr. Matsuoka, Japanese Foreign Minister, who it is reported, promised to try to expedite the police interrogation.—Reuter.

ON SUSPICION OF ESPIONAGE

The Domei Agency in a statement which may be regarded as having been officially worded, adds:

"The gendarmes who were present strenuously attempted to prevent Mr. M. J. Cox's rash act but failed. The act is attributed to Mr. Cox's realisation that he could not escape punishment."

The Domei states, "Mr. Cox was arrested on suspicion of espionage." This is the first time that a charge has been mentioned. There had been no news of Mr. Cox from any other source except that the British Consul had not been permitted to see him. Therefore no reply from him to the allegations against him is available.—Reuter.

Craigie Sees Matsuoka

LONDON, July 29.

Reuter's diplomatic correspondent learns in authoritative quarters in London that diplomatic representations are likely to be made at Tokyo by His Majesty's Government concerning the arrest of eleven British subjects in Japan.

It is believed that Sir Robert Craigie raised the matter when he saw Mr. Matsuoka this morning.—Reuter.

COX SUCCUMBS TO INJURIES

Reuter's Correspondent In Tokyo

TOKYO, July 29.

The Domei Agency reports that Mr. M. J. Cox, Reuter's Correspondent in Tokyo, jumped from the second floor of the Tokyo Gendarmerie Headquarters, "where he was being examined" this afternoon, and succumbed to his injuries about an hour and three-quarters later.

Sir Robert Craigie again called upon Mr. Matsuoka, the Foreign Minister this morning.—Reuter.

TOKIO MINISTERS JUSTIFY IT

TOKYO, July 29.

The recent arrest of a number of prominent British Nationals was the subject of a joint statement by the Ministries of War and Justice. The statement says: "In view of the ever-increasing activities of foreign organs of espionage and conspiracy in this country lately, military police under the direction of the public prosecutor arrested as a first step on July 27 those constituting a part of the British espionage network covering the entire country."—Reuter.

Suez Bucks Up

Traffic At Port Increases

LONDON, July 29.

Reuter's special correspondent at Suez reports that the traffic through Suez Canal, which virtually came to a standstill after Italy's entry into the war has now considerably increased. Suez, which has now become Egypt's main port is buzzing with activity. Despite increasing accommodation, many ships have had to be passed on to Port Said or Alexandria for unloading.

The Anglo-French situation in regard to the Canal is satisfactory and the French officials are co-operating whole-heartedly with British naval and Egyptian authorities. There is no news of the majority of the Canal Directors, who are believed to be somewhere in France but under the direction of the Agent-General for the Canal in Egypt, Baron de Benoist, who is now virtually the head of the Suez Canal Administration. All is working smoothly and dues are being deposited in Cairo.—Reuter.

BRITAIN WARNS ENEMY 'RED CROSS' TACTICS

LONDON, July 29.

An Air Ministry "communique" states: "His Majesty's Government have caused the following communication to be made through proper channels for transmission to the German and Italian Governments:

"It has come to the notice of His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom that enemy aircraft bearing civil markings and marked with the Red Cross have recently flown over British ships at sea and in the vicinity of the British coast and they are being employed for purposes which His Majesty's Government cannot regard as consistent with the privileges generally accorded to the Red Cross.

"His Majesty's Government desire to accord to ambulance, aircraft reasonable facilities for transportation of the sick and wounded in accordance with the Red Cross Convention and aircraft engaged in direct evacuation of the sick and wounded will be respected, provided they comply with the relative provisions of the Convention. His Majesty's Government are unable, however, to grant immunity to such aircraft flying over areas in which operations are in progress on land or sea or approaching British or Allied territory or territory in British occupation or British or Allied ships. Ambulance aircraft which do not comply with the above requirements will do so at their own risk and peril".—Reuter.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru hoisted the National flag at Poona on Sunday last.

Hitler's Designs On Swiss Gold

NEW YORK, July 29.

According to a London despatch to the "Herald Tribune", Germany has approached Switzerl requesting Swiss stocks of grain, oil and foodstuffs to be made available to Germany.

The despatch adds that the approach has the character of an ultimatum.

The Germans are also said to have designs on the gold stocks of Switzerland.—Reuter.

Switzerland To Oppose External Aggression And Internal Defeatism

BERNE, JULY 29

THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, GENERAL GUISAN, ADDRESSING ARMY LEADERS STRESSED SWITZERLAND'S DETERMINATION TO OPPOSE ANY OUTSIDE ATTACK AND ANY DEFEATISM INSIDE THE COUNTRY.—REUTER.

KING AND EDEN INSPECT DEFENCES

LONDON, July 29.

The King and Queen spent yesterday inspecting Britain's defences. Their Majesties were accompanied by Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret.

Mr. Anthony Eden also spent a day yesterday inspecting defences on the south-east coast of England.—Reuter.

CITY'S RECEPTION TO CONGRESS PRESIDENT

The following is the B. P. C. C.'s programme for the public reception of the Congress President to-day:—

6-00 a.m. (S. T.): Congress President arrives at Dadar Station. He will detrain here and will proceed to the residence of Shri Bhawanji A. Khimji in Matunga.

7-30 a.m. (S. T.): Special Train of Congress President leaves Dadar Station.

8-00 a.m. (S. T.): Congress President arrives at V. T. Station. Reception, garlanding etc., by the B. P. C. C. and other public bodies and commercial associations in the special reception enclosure on Platform No. 8.

8-15 a.m. (S. T.): Presidential procession starts and proceeds by the following route to Congress House:

Hornby Road, Sheikh Memon Street, Bhuleshwar and Vithalbhai Patel Road

9-30 a.m. (S. T.): Procession terminates at the Congress House and Flag Salutation by the Congress President.

Public and Commercial Associations and other residents of the streets on the processional route are requested to decorate their premises.

Admission to the "Reception Enclosure" at V. T. on Platform No. 8 is restricted to permit holders only.

Volunteers and Bands are required to be present at the V. T. Station precisely at 6-30 a.m.

Those who join the reception and the procession are earnestly requested to keep perfect peace and order and help the Congress in making the reception a magnificent success.

Jawahar For Aundh

(From Our Correspondent.)

POONA, July 29.

Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru is visiting Aundh and Kirloskarwadi tomorrow and day-after.

DEMAND FOR JAIL DELIVERY

Calcutta Meeting Endorses Suspension Of Satyagraha

CALCUTTA, July 28.

At a public meeting held in Shraddhananda Park to-night under the Presidentship of Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, leader of the Opposition in the Bengal Assembly, the statements of the Acting Secretary of the suspended Bengal Provincial Congress Committee and of the Leader of the Opposition in the Assembly for the suspension of the Holwell Satyagraha Movement, in view of the Chief Minister's announcement were endorsed.

The meeting also congratulated the suspended B. P. C. C. for launching the movement and demanded the release of all those imprisoned in this connection.

The meeting also demanded the immediate release of all political prisoners in the province, whose imprisonment, it was held, was one of the main causes of discontent in the province.—A. P.

LEADERS LEAVE POONA

POONA, JULY 29.

Dr. Rajendra Prasad and Mr. Rajagopalachariar left for Wardha this afternoon 'en route' to Patna and Madras respectively.

Mr. Asaf Ali left for Bombay and Dr. Profulla Ghosh for Calcutta.—United Press.

Soviet Demand On Rumania

Return "Withdrawn" Material From Bessarabia And Bukovina

MOSCOW, July 29.

It is learned here that Soviet demands for the return of locomotives and rollingstock alleged to have been withdrawn by the Rumanians from Bessarabia and Bukovina have hitherto failed to elicit a satisfactory reply from Bucharest.

The Soviet declares that the withdrawal of the material violates the agreement of June 27 in which the territories were ceded to the Soviet.—Reuter.

AXIS POWERS AGREE ON BALKAN POLICY

BERLIN, July 29.

A Rome despatch to the official news agency summing up the situation at the conclusion of the conversations with the Balkan representatives states that the Axis Powers are in complete Agreement on the Balkan policy which aims at a peaceful solution of all questions by voluntary understanding among the Balkan elements concerned.—Reuter.

Vichy Govt. Hauls Up Ex-Minister

CHARGE OF IMPROPER COMMUNICATION WITH BR. GOVT. ON FALL OF FRANCE

LONDON, July 29.

Reports from France to-day stated that the Vichy Government proposed to bring M. Mandel to trial on a charge of establishing unauthorised or improper communication with the British Government while he was in North Africa

What Actually Transpired

In authoritative circles in London it is pointed out that the facts are that hearing certain distinguished French statesmen were in North Africa, Mr. Duff-Cooper who knew them personally flew to North Africa with the Government's approval and accompanied by Gen. Gort to get into touch with them.

Charge Refuted

When he arrived local authorities made it clear that it would be an unwelcome act for him to make contact with French Ministers and he left the next day without establishing contact with M. Mandel or any of the other French Ministers in question.—Reuter.

LABOUR ORGANISERS CONVICTED

U.P. M.L.A. Arrested Under Defence Act

CALCUTTA, July 29.

Mr. Bepin Behari Chakraborty and Mr. Pratap Singh, Labour organisers, were sentenced to-day to one month's rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 50 in default to undergo another fifteen days' rigorous imprisonment each, by a Magistrate in the Bankshall Street police court.

The accused were charged with having delivered speeches at a public meeting held recently without the permission of the Police Commissioner to express sympathy for the colliery strikes at Jharia.—A. P.

Orders Reserved In Prof. Ranga's Case

MADRAS, July 29.

The Chief Presidency Magistrate to-day reserved orders in the case in which Prof. N. G. Ranga, M. L. A. (Central) is charged under Rule 38 (5) of the Defence of India Rules in respect of a speech alleged to have been delivered by him at the All-India Peasants' Conference at Kasibugga (Vizagapatam District) in March last.

The prosecution alleged that as a result of the speech, the peasants of Mandasa State unlawfully cut trees and that when the police attempted to arrest them there was a rioting.

Mr. A. K. Pillai, counsel for Mr. Ranga, argued that Mr. Ranga made no such speech as alleged by the prosecution.—A. P.

U. P. M.L.A. Arrested

MEERUT, July 29

Choudhery Charan Singh, M.L.A. (U. P.), and General Secretary of the District Satyagraha Committee, Meerut, was arrested this morning under the Defence of India Rules. Mahashe Pyarelal, a staunch disciple of Mahatma Gandhi, was arrested yesterday under the same Act.

Choudhery Charan Singh was later produced before the City Magistrate who granted him bail. The case against him will be taken up tomorrow for hearing.—A. P.

STALIN'S NEXT MOVE

BUCHAREST, July 29.

Most experienced political observers in south-east Europe are convinced that until the Soviet next shows their hand the trend of developments in the Balkans must be largely guess work. It is generally believed that the policy of mutual Russo-German understanding ended with the occupation of Bessarabia and henceforth Soviet policy will be mainly opportunist, influenced to a large extent by the degree to which Germany commits herself in a total offensive against Great Britain. The Russians are reported to be powerfully established on the Ruthenian border and in some quarters the question is asked: Should Germany throw her weight on England, would Russia perhaps seize the opportunity to pour her divisions across the easy southern plain of Hungary to Yugoslavia, where currents of Pan-Slavism are running more strongly than ever?

In Bulgaria the Germans and Russians eye each other askance. Bulgarian statesmen who saw Hitler at Salzburg are not expected to bring back a proposal for the settlement of the Dobruja claims, but merely counsel that they shall settle the issue direct with Rumania in the near future.

If so this will not surprise official circles but will disappoint the people who have been led to expect more from the visit.

The demand addressed by Moscow to Rumania that returning Bessarabians shall be well treated under pain of "frontier measures" is reported by a traveller from Bukovina to have been backed by fresh concentration of motorised divisions and troops along the new frontier of the river Pruth.—Reuter.

Savarkar To See Viceroy

NAGPUR, July 29.

The Working Committee of the All-India Hindu Mahasabha will meet on August 8 and 9 instead of on August 10 and 11 as announced earlier. The change is necessitated, it is understood, by Mr. V. D. Savarkar, the President of the Mahasabha, having been invited by H. E. the Viceroy to meet him on August 12.—A. P.

Mr. Asaf Ali In Bombay

Mr. Asaf Ali arrived in Bombay on Monday evening and will proceed to Delhi to-night.

STOP PRESS

ATTACK ON DOVER

LONDON, July 30.

It is now revealed that to-day's air attack was made on Dover Harbour.—Reuter.

CHAMBERLAIN OPERATED UPON.

LONDON, July 29.

It is announced that Mr. Chamberlain was successfully operated to-night for relief of intestinal symptoms of an obstructive nature. His condition is satisfactory.—Reuter.

MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES

LONDON, July 29.

Major L. W. Hitchcock (R. I. A. S. C.) is mentioned in despatches in a supplement to the London Gazette.

ELECTED UNOPPOSED

Mr. Robert Donald Scott (Conservative) was returned unopposed in the Wansbeck division, Northumberland by-election due to the resignation of Col. Cruddas.—Reuter.

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179. PUBLISHERS.

Publishers in India of books and periodicals in English and in Vernaculars are requested to be in touch with the Manager of International Book House, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, who finds it very difficult to get a complete list of them for the publication of a directory of publishers in India which is under preparation. Urgent. (3051)

652. MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Rupee Note Cases for the Waistcoat Pocket, avoid loss. Rs. 1/8 each. Dunnett & Co., Asquith & Lord Ltd., Opposite Clock Tower, Bombay. (3053)

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NOTICE HAVING BEEN GIVEN of the loss of policy numbered 28042 on the life of Shah Manekkal Chunilal of Bombay, a duplicate policy will be issued unless objection is lodged with us within one month from this date.

S. B. CARDMASTER, Life Manager.

Bombay, 30th July, 1940. (3057)

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INDIAN POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS DEPARTMENT

EXAMINATION FOR ENTRANCE TO CERTAIN SUBORDINATE SERVICES OF THE INDIAN POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS DEPARTMENT

A competitive examination for recruitment to certain subordinate services of the Indian Posts and Telegraphs Department in the Bombay Circle will be held on the 23rd October, 1940. The examination is open to candidates of both sexes of all communities who are not less than 19 and more than 21 years of age on the date of the examination, have passed the Matriculation or an equivalent examination and have their domicile in the Bombay Presidency. Particulars relating to the examination with a copy of the prescribed form of application and the recruitment rules will be supplied by the office of the Post Master General. Bombay on receipt of the fee of one rupee which should be sent ONLY by a crossed Indian Postal Order payable to the Postmaster General. Bombay, at the Bombay General Post Office. Applications in the prescribed form only will be entertained and they must be received in the office of the Postmaster General. Bombay, by the 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1940, at the latest. Applications received after that date will be ignored.

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Legal Notices

HIGH COURT O. O. C. J.

Suit No. 549 of 1940.

BHARAT TILES COMPANY, a firm ..... Plaintiff.

versus

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The Defendant

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Dated this 29th day of July, 1940.

G. B. PANDYA, Attorney for the Plaintiffs.

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Public Notices

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(Sd.) B. T. SHAH, Member for Commerce and Industry, Dharampur State.

(3055)

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

GENTLEMEN OF THE COMMON JURY summoned for the current Criminal Sessions are required to attend at the High Court on Tuesday afternoon the 30th July, 1940, at 2-45 P. M. (S. T.).

MATHURADAS VISSANJI, Sheriff of Bombay.

Bombay, 29th July, 1940.

(3061)

Legal Notices

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KALYANJI KANJI, the sole Trustee of the deed of Trust, dated 30th June, 1877, made by Jamervahu widow and executrix of the estate of Lakhmidas Damji has contracted to sell to our client the property described in the schedule hereunder written.

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Dated this 29th day of July, 1940.

DAPHTARY FERREIRA & DIVAN. Purchaser's Attorneys.

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Auction Sales

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Under instructions from the Deputy Custodian of Enemy Property, Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction on FRIDAY the 2nd August, 1940 at 3-30 P.M. (S.T.) at their Rooms the undermentioned furniture comprising of Chesterfield suite, cupboards, writing table, Godrej steel racks, chairs, stands, etc. also motor car accessories such as rubber tubes, tyres, steel wheels, motor spare parts, 1 spray paint machine by Leo, 1 compressor by Krenz, etc. property of the Continental Garrage.

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Is Woman Obstacle To Progress?

An interesting debate on whether "Woman is a great obstacle to Progress", was held at Youths Parliament, Blavatsky Lodge, on Saturday evening.

Messrs. Shani Kothari and others supported the proposition. Mr. Kothari humorously remarking that "if he did not take his M. Sc. or Law, it was to please the whims of his better-half." If, he said, women were the silent power behind, Nations and Kingdoms, they could not escape their share of blame. for the mismanagement of world—or for wars and inequity for that matter.

Mrs. Narmada Parekh, vigorously opposed the proposition saying that if the rights and privileges of women were recognised the world would be a better place. Woman was an expert in the arts of the peace, her hand soothed, nurtured and created. while man destroyed, she said.

She was supported by Messrs. M. B. Rao, Anklesaria, Ghyara, Swami Acharyaji and Daruvala. When Mr. Maneklal Vakil, who presided, took the votes, the proposition was lost.

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AROUND THE COURTS

WIFE'S ALLEGATIONS AGAINST HUSBAND

BOMBAY, Monday.

Bala Sanappa, who was alleged to have picked up a quarrel with his wife over her cooking and tied her legs and hands with a coir rope and locked her in a room, was arrested yesterday by the Kalachowki police. He was produced to-day before Mr. G. A. Sabnis at the Dadar Court and was allowed bail.

ALLEGED ASSAULT

On a charge of assault Sumatibai Suba Rao Kini was produced to-day before Mr. G. A. Sabnis at the Dadar Court who ordered her to be released on bail.

ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF MISAPPROPRIATION

Bansidhar Ramsukhmal and his wife named Durgabai Bansidhar and two others were arrested by the Pydhony Police on Saturday, on a charge of misappropriation in respect of Rs. 13,073 belonging to a shop-keeper.

The accused persons were ordered to be released on bail by Mr. G. M. Barot, Presidency Magistrate to-day, at Mazagaon Court.

11 ARRESTS UNDER ABKARI ACT

Eleven persons were arrested on various charges under the Bombay Abkari Act and were produced before Mr. G. A. Sabnis at the Dadar Court. Out of them three persons were said to be in possession of dangerous drugs to the value of Rs. 2,000. They were offered bail.

WATCHMEN STABBED AT ALEXANDRA DOCK

Shifatkhan Hukumatkhan, a watchman in the B. I. Company, who was admitted to the G. T. Hospital along with two Jamadars of the same company for treatment of severe stab wounds on the chest, on Saturday, died in the Hospital to-day morning.

On Saturday last all the watchmen of the Company attended roll call parade at Alexandra Dock. The purpose of the parade was to inform the watchmen kept on daily wages that the services of some of them would not be needed.

The accused, Vilayatkhan, was not re-employed. He consequently got irritated and, it was alleged, abused the Jamadars and attacked them with knife.

He (deceased) who came along with the other watchman to rescue the jamadars, was stabbed by him (accused.)

It is understood that in all he stabbed four persons, all of whom are now lying in precarious condition in the Hospital.

SUCCUMBS IN HOSPITAL

Shipatkhaji Hukamat Khan, one of the four persons who were stabbed on Saturday night and removed to the G. T. Hospital, died this morning.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH VERDICT ON 75-YEAR OLD WOMAN

A verdict of death by concussion of brain and terminal pneumonia due to her having accidentally rolled down the staircase leading to the fourth floor of her residence, was recorded by the Coroner's jury at the inquest on the body of Motibai Pitamberdas (75) a resident of Parsi Wada, Bombay who died in the Dr. Desai's Hospital on Sunday.

FATAL FALL FROM FIRST FLOOR

A verdict of accidental death due to fall from the first floor of Deesa Building, Chira Bazar, was returned by the City Coroner's Jury at the inquest held on the body of Francis Fernandes a two year's old child.

Ex-President Resigns From Municipal Board

(From Our Corresondent.)

NADIAD July 28.

Sjt. Chunibhai U. Patel, the Ex-President of the Nadiad Borough Municipality has tendered his resignation as a member of the board.

It may be recalled here that Sjt. Chunibhai Patel was elected member on Congress ticket and he was asked to give explanation for not giving his vote to the Congress candidate for the presidentship at the time of the last presidential election.

LONDON.—A small island in the Indian Ocean with a population of 10,000 has contributed £140 to help British forces in the war. The island is administered by the Government of Mauritius.

"DANGEROUS PERSONS IN POLITICAL GROUPS"

U. P. Govt.'s Sensational Allegations In Press Communique

(From Our Correspondent).

ALLAHABAD, July 29.

The U.P. Government makes startling allegations against certain Congressmen in the course of a communication to the press in connection with an attempt to commit dacoity in Nagla Jangi, a village in Muttra District. The communication describes how the dacoits were cleverly intercepted and six of the gang were arrested after a midnight duel in which both the parties used firearms.

Of the six persons arrested the Government says that one was the Captain of the Congress Volunteer Corps of the Tehsil Hathras. He is alleged to have carried a six-chambered revolver with two fired and two misfired cartridges in his leather handbag.

Another arrested man was found to be a member of the Hathras Congress Committee. He, it is alleged, was carrying a loaded M. L. pistol.

A third one of the arrested persons was a member of the Hathras Congress Mandal and had been its Secretary till February last. He was carrying a 'gupti.'

"It is clear from the above," says the Government, "there are extremely dangerous persons in some political groups who indulge in nefarious activities and commit crimes of violence while professing high and noble political beliefs. It is the duty of all political organisations to be extremely careful as to whom they enlist as members."

MORE AMENITIES FOR KHAR

(From A Correspondent)

Khar is fast becoming a promising "Model suburb", now that the drainage scheme is completed. The water supply also has been considerably improved by the laying of 10-inch mains, and the pressure of water is now greater than in the Dadar-Matunga area.

Mr. G. R. K. Ayyangar, the Bandra Municipal Engineer has played a great, but silent part in bringing all these schemes to fruition. The rate-payers have to be thankful to him for carrying out the public works very promptly and economically. The Bandra Drainage Scheme can well compare with the major drainage schemes of the Cities like Poona and Ahmedabad, and Mr. Ayyangar has been able to complete it within a modest budget of 9 lakhs. As regards roads he is following a progressive policy. The total mileage of roads in the municipal area is about 40 per cent. that of the Bombay City, whereas the budget provision for roads, is very meagre. It will be recalled that there was an exodus in the part from Khar due to water scarcity and want of civic amenities. The energetic completion of works is bound to attract people to Khar.

674 SELECTED FOR CIVIC GUARDS

Out of a total of 1,300 applications so far received, for enrolment in the Civic Guards, 674 have been approved and 325 rejected for various reasons. Forty-nine applicants are to be examined to-day in regard to their physical fitness.

Railwaymen's Meeting Postponed

MADURA, July 28.

Mr. S. Guruswamy, General Secretary, All-India Railwaymen's Federation, announces that the meeting between the Railway Board and representatives of the All-India Railwaymen's Federation arranged to be held in Bombay on August 31 has been postponed for a few weeks pending receipt of certain departmental reports from the Railway Administration.—A. P.

Gliding Centre Near Bombay

Training Scheme For Pilots Entering I. A. F.

The Indian Gliding Association which has been in existence for a number of years has now been entirely reorganized so as to enable it to play a part in the air defence of India.

A contract with Government to train 300 Glider Pilots per annum for the next two years has been negotiated subject to the Association establishing a Glider Centre in the vicinity of Bombay with 14 Gliders, the necessary instructional staff and certain other minor requirements of Government so that the Association conforms to the usual requirements demanded of the Flying Clubs in India.

Sir Homi Mehta is President of the Association and together with the Working Committee he is busily engaged in organizing the details of the Association's future activities which not only include the Bombay Gliding Centre but the opening of similar Centres at other large industrial cities throughout the country.

Those wishing to take up gliding can now join as Flying Members, whilst opportunity is offered to everybody to become Ordinary Members. A small entrance fee of Rs. 20/- and an annual subscription of Rs. 10/- is charged for this privilege of supporting India's Air Defence.

The Bombay Gliding Centre is being organized to train private individuals who wish to take up Gliding as a sport—and this is in addition to the work of training the 300 pilots for Government.

MUNICIPALITIES IN PRESIDENCY

The Director Information, Bombay, writes:—

The total number of Municipalities in Bombay Province during the year 1938-39 was 129. Of these, 28 were governed by the Bombay Municipal Boroughs Act, 1925, and the rest by the Bombay District Municipal Act, 1901. Notified Area Committees numbered 12.

The population resident within the Municipal areas was 2,696,468. The aggregate gross income of all the municipalities was Rs. 3,39,83,183 and expenditure Rs. 3,45,31,429.

The financial position of the municipalities in the Province did not show any improvement. The main cause for this was haphazard methods of collection. Every audit report in which financial unsoundness is commented upon discloses the existence of considerable arrears of uncollected taxes. Some of the municipalities, says the report, "will have to augment their resources with the utmost expedition, otherwise they will be placed in a financial quandary."

The municipalities were generally alive to the needs of the Harijans. Equal facilities were accorded to them in matters of education, water supply and other amenities. Municipalities in the Northern Division were beginning to realise that steps must be taken to allow their Harijan servants permanency of service and the same benefits as are given to other classes of employees. In the Southern Division, with one or two exceptions, all municipalities gave attention to ameliorating the conditions of service of Harijan employees.

SOCIETY FOR SPREAD OF LITERACY IN ENGLISH

The Society for the Spread of Literacy in English says in an appeal that they will be glad to send their charts and leaflets to anybody who sends their names and addresses to them. They say that the difficulty in learning a language is by keeping the active command of the language the active aim of the learner.

Municipal Women's Reading Room

A correspondent writes:—

It is a matter of much regret that the women's reading room and library conducted by the Bombay Municipality is to be shortly removed from its present place near Prarthana Samaj to Dadyset Agyari Lane. The women who take advantage of this library are mostly Maharashtrians residing in Girgaon locality. This is the only Marathi library run for women alone. I am afraid that the number of women readers will considerably fall off, if the library and reading room are removed to another locality. I hope the authorities concerned will reconsider the matter.

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Lowtide: 1-43; 14-38
Sunrise: 6h. 15m.
Sunset: 7h. 15m.

A.R.P. COURSE FOR DIV. WARDENS 'B'

Lecture on "Air Wardens" by Mr. Big wood, Tuesday (to-day) at 6-15 p.m., Electric House, Fort.

NOTICE TO JURYMEN

Common Jurors' attention is drawn to the notice appearing in the Public Notifications Column.

SARDAR & BHULABHAI IN BOMBAY

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and Mr. Bhulabhai Desai arrived in the city on Monday.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu will be coming to Bombay this morning.

MUNICIPAL WORKERS' UNION

A monthly meeting of the Managing Committee of the Municipal Workers' Union will be held to-day (Tuesday) at the head office of the Union at Foras Rd. at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.)

MANDVI KHADI BHANDAR WILL REMAIN CLOSED

A.I.S.A. Khadi Bhandar, Branch No. 1, Azad Bhavan, Masjid Bunder Road, Mandvi, will remain closed on 30th and 31st July (Tuesday and Wednesday) on account of annual stock takings.

RAILWAYMEN'S FEDERATION

The President of the All-India Railwaymen's Federation announces that General Council of the Federation will meet on 31st July (to-morrow) at 11-30 a.m. in the G.I.P. Railwaymen's Union's office at Neptune Building, Hornby Road, Bombay. The members are requested to attend.

BHULESHWAR DISTRICT CONGRESS COMMITTEE

The Hon. Secretary, Bhuleshwar District Congress Committee has received a sum of Rs. 500 as donation from a sympathiser through Mr. Ganpatishankar N. Desai.

INDIAN CHAMBER'S ANNUAL MEETING

The second quarterly general meeting of the members of the Chamber will be held on Saturday, the 3rd August, at 3 p.m. (S.T.) in the Narrondass Manordass Hall and Library, second floor, Lalji Naranji Memorial Indian Merchants' Chamber Building to receive the report of the work done by the Committee during the quarter ended 30th June 1940 (except from the proceedings of the Committee during the months of April, May and June, 1940 have already been circulated to members through the issues of the Journal of the Chamber for the months of May, June and July, 1940 respectively).

Amusements Of The Day

CAPITOL—"Rulers of the Sea." To-day at 3-30 and 10 p.m.
REGAL—"Black Friday". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
METRO—"Northwest Passage." Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
EXCELSIOR—"'Til We Meet Again". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
NEW EMPIRE—"Too Many Husbands". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
SUPER—"Aj-Ki-Dunia". Daily at 4-30, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
PATHE—"Woman". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
ROXY—"Sanbhagya". Daily at 4, 7 and 9-45 p.m.
WEST END—"Lapandav". Daily at 4, 7 and 9-45 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Andhi". Daily at 4-45, 7-15 and 10 p.m.
CHITRA—"Civil Marriage." Daily at 4, 6-45 and 9-45 p.m.
CENTRAL—"Dnyaneshwar". Daily at 4, 7 and 9-45 p.m.

THE GATHA SOCIETY.

A meeting of the Gatha Society will be held to-day (Tuesday) at 6 p.m (S. T.), at the K. R. Cama Oriental Institute, 134-136, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay, when Mr. Behramgore Tehmuras Anklesaria will give a further exposition in Gujarati of the Vahishta Ishti Gatha (Yasna Ha 53), strophes 1 and 2. The lecture is open to the public.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE, BOMBAY.

The Voluntary Social Workers' Training Class will meet to-day (Tuesday), at the League's Head Office, Sandhurst Road, Girgaon, when Mr. P. G. Naik, Life-Worker, Social Service League, will deliver a lecture on "Vigilance and Rescue Work" from 6 to 7 p.m. (S. T.).

POSTAL NOTICE

It is hereby notified that the booking of insured articles for and from the following sub-offices and branch offices in account with them is temporarily suspended:—

Panchgachia sub-office, Saharsa sub-office and Madhipura sub-office under the Bhagalpur H. O. Simri Bakhtiarpur sub-office under the Monghyr H. O.

BOMBAY SANITARY ASSOCIATION

The Elementary Sanitary Class organised by the Association if there is a sufficient number of candidates will commence this year on Thursday, the 22nd August.

Persons wishing to join the class are requested to send in their applications to the Honorary Secretary, Bombay Sanitary Association, Municipal Offices, by the 15th August.

A nominal fee of Rs. 5 only will be charged and the course of lectures will last for 3 to 4 months.

Lectures will be delivered in the evening at 5-45 p.m. (S.T.) twice a week, in the Hall of the Sanitary Institute, Princess Street.

Certificates are given to the successful candidates at the examination.

BOMBAY MILL WORKERS' UNION

The adjourned annual general meeting of the Bombay Mill Workers' Union was held on Sunday, the 28th inst. at 9 a.m. in Shalwala Building, Lalbag, under the presidency of Mr. D. K. Jagtap, M.L.A. The meeting unanimously adopted the report and the accounts presented by the Secretary.

Mr. D. K. Jagtap, M.L.A., was elected President; Mr. L. G. Pradhan and Mr. S. M. Dhamal, Vice-Presidents and Mr. J. S. Savant, General Secretary.

LOHANA PADKAR

The Editor, Printer and Publisher of "Lohana Padkar" filed on the 15th July 1940 their declarations in the Court of Mr. Indravadan, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, who passed the same on 23rd inst.

"FLAMING FRONTIERS" AT BANDRA TALKIES

From July 31st to 2nd August, Bandra Talkies is to screen Universal's complete serial of 31 reels, "Flaming Frontiers," starring John Mack Brown.

INDIAN MERCHANTS' CHAMBER PRESS NOTE

The Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber had an interview with Mr. L. Wilson, Chief Commissioner, and Mr. B. M. Staig, Financial Commissioner, of Railways, on Monday noon when the following questions were discussed:—

(1) Recent increases in railway freights and fares. (2) Exemption from the increase of oil cakes. (3) Establishment of a Rating Tribunal. (4) Composition of the Railway Board—a member with Commercial experience. (5) Manufacture of locomotives and railway stores in the country. (6) Inter-class accommodation over the B.B. and C.I. Rly. and (7) Handling of consignments in transit

Sonderlal Khimchand a prominent Share Broker who died on Sunday.

Late Mr. Sunderlal Khimchand

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Sunderlal Khimchand Amerchand, which occurred on Sunday last at his residence at Pine Villa, Cirrus Avenue, Byculla, after a brief illness. He was a well-known share broker and a partner in his father's firm of Messrs. Khimchand Amerchand. Born in 1899 he died at an early age of 41 years. Before he joined his father's firm he worked as an assistant in the firm of Messrs. Premchand Roychand & Sons.

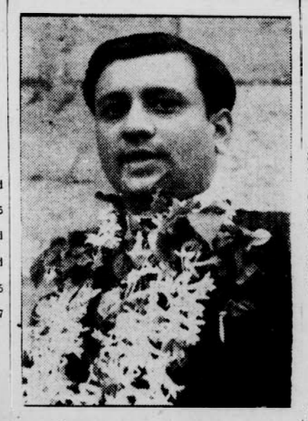
He received his education in St. Xavier's High School.

He leaves behind him a widow, 2 young sons, 4 daughters and aged parents and a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn his loss. His death is a real loss to the business world specially to the finance world in Bombay, in which he made a mark.

HINDU DEEN DAYA SANGH

The Secretary of the Hindu Deen Daya Sangh acknowledges with great pleasure and gratitude the following donations received for the maintenance of the Foundling Home at Matunga:—Rs. 100 from Mr. Bhawanji Arjan Khimji, Rs. 100 from Mr. C. V. Mehta, Rs. 51 from Mrs. Jayashri Jayawant Talpade, Rs. 50 from Mr. R. N. Moghe, Rs. 50 from Mr. Karsandas Madhavdas, Rs. 50 from Mr. Meghaji Mathuradas, Rs. 25 from B. H. Charity Trust through Mr. L. G. Vinze and Rs. 25 from Messrs. Thakorlal and Co.

The death is announced of the Right Reverend Alston James May, Bishop of Northern Rhodesia.



Mr. Vasant Kalyandas Desai returned to India on Saturday from England after passing L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S. and A.R.C.S. Examinations.

Grave Allegations Against A "Ph.D."

BOMBAY, Monday.

Sensational allegations of amazing masquerades as a "Dr." and as an Educational Officer, in which roles he is alleged to have cheated various persons in Bombay, Nasik and Poona were made by the police to-day against Laxman Balwant Inamdar, alias Dr. Karnik, alias Sahastrabudhe when he was put up to-day before the Presidency Magistrate, Third Court on charges of theft and cheating.

His last alleged adventure, however, brought him into trouble. This was at the hands of Dr. G. R. Pradhan. It was at Dadar. He is said to have introduced himself as a "Ph.D." and as "Dr. Karnik" of a college at Raipur to a well-known and rich family at Dadar.

After two days, he made a proposal to one of the girls in the family. One of the members of the family, getting suspicious instituted inquiries and straightaway went to Rao Saheb Karnik, Superintendent C. I. D. to throw some light on the man and his antecedents.

The police officer, after hearing the description of the man, summoned one of his assistants and called for a particular photograph. This was shown to the complainant and the latter, on seeing the identical man's picture in jail clothes gasped in astonishment.

The police were then on the lock-out for "the much married "Ph.D." and arrested him on alighting from a bus at Dadar.

The Magistrate directed the accused to be released on a bail of Rs. 5,000.

Congress Leaders See "Lapandav"

POONA, July 29.

A number of Congress Working Committee members and members of the A.I.C.C. attended a special show of "Lapandav" the maiden production of Navyug Chitrapat, Limited.

Yesterday the Navyug Chitrapat, Limited, were "at home" to all members of the A.I.C.C. in the Congress Bhawan.—United Press.

ILLUSTRATED SPORTS NEWS

I. F. A. Shield Special 1940

The Illustrated Sports News I. F. A. Shield Special 1940. Edited by Mr. S. K. Roy, 7, Muralidhar Sen Lane, Calcutta, Price 4 as.

The Special Number of the Illustrated Sports News is an attractive publication, with plenty of news about Calcutta football. There are a few thought-provoking articles from the pens of well-known footballers, which the readers will find highly interesting. The price of four annas per copy is quite reasonable.

Mr. D. M. Khandke Arrives

Mr. D. M. Khandke, brother of a prominent Indian businessman, Mr. Shankersheth Khandke, senior partner of Messrs. Bhawoo Kashinath and Company, Civil and Military Contractors and a Director of Messrs. The Khandke Sugar Mills, Ltd. (U.P.) arrived from America on Sunday.

Mr. Khandke had gone to America about four years ago for higher education in sugar technology. After taking the degree of M.Sc of the Louisiana University he travelled extensively in America and returned to India via Japan.

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SATIRANJAN MEMORIAL SHIELD TOURNAMENT

Holders' Runaway Victory Against Khar United

CITY POLICE ENTER THIRD ROUND

In the Satiranjan Memorial Shield Tournament, two matches were played at the St. Xavier's College Ground, Parel, during the week-end. On Saturday the holders, W. I. A. A. Staff, registered a runaway victory against Khar United to the tune of ten goals to nil. The Khar players appeared mere novices against the magnificent combination of the Automobilemen. Try as they would, they could not prevent their redoubtable opponents from piling up the double figure total, of which Thomas and Dhakuram claimed three each.

On Sunday, the City Police though emerged victorious by the substantial margin of five goals to one, did not have things much their own way against the Bengal Club. Despite the ground conditions being totally against their barefooted play, they put up a splendid fight. S. Datt, their left half, was particularly brilliant in his offensive and defensive methods. After a hard struggle the Policemen crossed over with a lead of the odd goal in three.

In the second moiety the Bengalis had a further stroke of misfortune in that two or three smart showers of rain turned the ground into a veritable quagmire. They could hardly keep their foot-hold. The Policemen took full advantage of the situation and added three goals to the tally. Adams was responsible for a hat-trick for them.

BENGAL CLUB CUP LEAGUE
Y. M. C. A. CONCEDE A WALK OVER

In the Bengal Club Cup League, the Y. M. C. A. conceded a walk over to the Matunga Athletic in their last engagement, Matunga was awarded full points.

The Bengal Provincial Ayurved Mahamandal (Bengal Branch of the All-India Ayurved Mahamandal) has issued invitations to its members at the celebration of the ceremony of its inauguration according to the new 'Constitution,' and at an 'At Home' to be held at 27-B, Grey Street, (Prasanna Kumar Institution Premises, east of the Junction of Central Avenue and Grey Street) at 8-30 a.m. on Sunday (4th August, 1940).

PROBLEM OF ABORIGINALS

Father Elwyn Urges Need For A Scientific Approach And Stopping Exploitation In Name Of Religion

The need to make a scientific approach and eschew the exploitation in the name of religion in dealing with the aboriginal tribes in India was stressed in a lecture delivered by Father Verrier Elwyn at the Green's Hotel on Monday evening.

The lecture was held under the auspices of the Progressive Group. Mr. Manu Subedar, presided.

The speaker gave a vivid description of the life of the aboriginals and explained their various tribal customs, which, he said should be maintained undisturbed by the civilised world, until the present civilisation was fit enough to embrace the unsophisticated section of humanity.

TRADITIONAL CUSTOMS

The lecturer had every esteem for the traditional customs of the tribes. He was of the opinion that what was required was not any change in their present mode of life, but a sympathetic understanding and tolerance.

The aboriginals were simple, innocent folk unadulterated by the strides of modern civilisation. They had their own primitive folklore, songs and dance which were all embodied in naivette.

The speaker feared that the petty Government official was a constant source of nuisance to these unfortunate people.

Finally, the lecturer appealed for monetary assistance from those who heard him to help carry on his noble mission among this pitiable people who were more sinned against than sinning.

Mr. Manu Subedar endorsed Father Elwyn's views and drew a picture of his own contacts and experiences with the aboriginals.

He also appealed for the help which the lecturer so badly needed.

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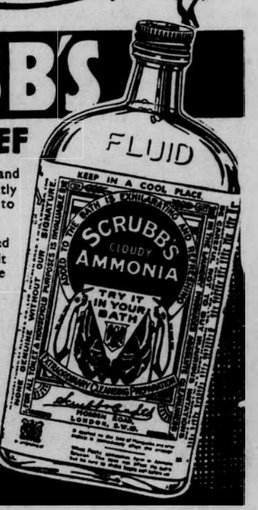

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The Congress President has good reason to say that he is completely satisfied with the proceedings of the A. I. C. C. meeting. Considering all the issues involved, the Committee displayed remarkable discrimination, sense of responsibility and strength of conviction. To differ from Gandhiji must have been a wrench to many. But the most important thing that Gandhiji has taught his followers is that they should pay the same religious reverence to truth, as they understand it, as he himself is doing. When he made his Appeal to Every Briton, he must have reckoned with the possibility of the whole world ridiculing him as a crank. But it was almost physically impossible for him to suppress his inner urge. His followers are in the same way true to their own conscience, he himself encouraging such a course throughout.

No Resignations

While one has reason to be completely satisfied with the proceedings of the meeting, there is still, in the minds of some, the fear that several of Gandhiji's followers who now find themselves in a minority may resign from the Working Committee and, probably also from the A. I. C. C. This fear is particularly entertained because of his following advice in the latest issue of *Harijan*: "Assuming that the truly non-violent are in a minority it will be their duty to leave the Congress and thus serve the Congress all the better. Their continuance in the Congress would lead to friction, for the majority would, in carrying out their policy, have to adopt many resolutions which the followers of out and out non-violence could not accept. That would lead to clashes which should be anything but non-violence". The leaders in question do find themselves in a minority. But, as we have shown before, they are not yet under any moral obligation to resign, because the Poona resolutions propose violent measures of defence in a future contingency. And if they do not resign, it will not be right to say that they are not "truly non-violent." As Mr. Rajagopalachariar pointed out, what Gandhiji meant was that those who felt that they could make no compromise on their belief in non-violence and, therefore, would become an obstruction, should pursue their objective without hindrances to others. They can continue at least till friction is actually experienced and we have reason to believe that they have decided to continue.

Government's Duty

The more urgent question now is whether Government will worthily respond to the offer of co-operation. The critics of the Congress say that the Poona resolutions do not go farther than the previous ones. In a way Government may be grateful for that. If they want immediate co-operation, it depends on them to secure it by accepting immediately the reasonable conditions attached to it. If they mistake the moderation of the Congress resolution for weakness, we can only pity their incapacity to understand the real attitude of the Congress. Congress has no reason to show any weakness. As Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel puts it, "the question whether our demand will be accepted or not does not matter much, as it suits us both ways. If the British Government accept it, it is good, because it will be to their advantage and our benefit, but if they do not we will be free to choose our own course and we shall do so." Government may well pay heed to the President's friendly warning to note the growing bitterness in the Congress against them and take action before it is too late. The demand that the Congress makes is no new one. It is an old demand. It wants freedom for the country as only a free country can effectively secure the fullest co-operation of the people with Britain in carrying on the war. Speaker after speaker at Poona declared that the present position of marking time should not go on indefinitely, and in his concluding speech the President gave the assurance that the present suspense could not last long. If so, and if what he calls the "final and fateful decision" may come upon us at any time it is imperatively necessary that all Congressmen must stand absolutely united, particularly because any action they may be compelled to take will be out and out non-violent. The Viceroy can avert the need for such final and fateful decision by immediately getting into touch with the Congress President and his colleagues with a geniune response to the Congress offer.

Hitler And Balkans

London speculations on Herr Hitler's efforts to consolidate the Balkan situation are confirmed in certain essentials by the Belgrade correspondent of the "Times." It is natural that he should be trying his best to engineer a better understanding between Hungary, Rumania and Bulgaria—if possible, an actual alliance under German patronage—to ensure peace in the Balkans and economic supplies to Germany. Nor is it unlikely that he may have offered Yugo-Slavia, thus encircled by the Axis Powers and their proteges, to be disposed of Italy. Italy, partly because she cannot afford to question the dispositions of her dominant partner, may agree to this division of the Balkan States.

But what about Russia? Her attitude, it is quite true, remains obscure. But it is difficult to understand how she can accept a position that may tend to, let alone amount to, the transfer of Rumania and Bulgaria to the German orbit and of Yugo-Slavia to Italian. And yet this is the position that is reported to have virtually developed. It is never safe to speculate on possible Russian policy. But the following suggestion by the Diplomatic correspondent of the *Daily Herald* appears at least to be plausible:

"Whatever she (Germany) may have promised the Russians, she is now trying, because she must, to squeeze and edge them out of the Balkans. A quiet struggle is developing. We may expect counter-moves by Moscow."

There is, incidentally, another curious event, which is, perhaps, of more interest to Russia than to Britain. Herr Hitler has received, and talked for over two hours with, the President and Premier of the Slovak "Republic." This cannot be a reaction to British recognition of a National Government for Czecho-Slovakia. From the point of view of Herr Hitler and of Slovakia this recognition is not of such great importance as to occasion the rush to Berchtesgaden. Nor did it occasion the presence of the President of the "Republic" himself. What is Herr Hitler up to?

LONDON

By LESLIE HOWARD

(*A broadcasting talk from the British Broadcasting Corporation, London).

LONDON, July 21.

If you agree I should like today to talk about a very famous city, a city that is far from being the most beautiful but is very definitely the world's most unique, a city whose very name spells nostalgia to thousands all over the world who know it, and wonder and excitement to millions to whom it is just a far away place of legend and power.

When the Romans came upon this spot almost 2,000 years ago they decided to call it Londinium, for no better reason that I can think of than that this was the nearest their Latin tongues could arrive at the pronunciation of the current name, but for an awful time men have called it abruptly, just plain London.

This London, from the heart of which I am speaking to you now, has had a long, varied and brilliant history, the details of which are probably far better known to most of you than they are to me, for believe me, I am no historian. But one fact emerges from the history of London, a fact which even a poor historian like me cannot fail to note and that is the rigid unity of its corporate structure combined with the toughness of its inhabitants, and it is this fact, I surmise, which is mainly responsible for the unique position held for 2,000 years, by this independent and individual town.

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Since the invasion of Britain is one of the most debated propositions in the world to-day it is as well to recall that although no aggressor has set foot on these shores during almost the last thousand years, a whole succession of them did so during the thousand years preceding that period. At school I suppose most of us were bored to death with the Roman invasion, the Saxon invasion and the Norman invasion, not to mention the minor invasions sandwiched in between these more important features. However now when there are invasion threats it is comforting to known that London did pretty well for itself during all these turbulencies. It permitted the Romans to build it up all nice and pretty with all the latest improvements, bar central heating and the moment they departed, proceeded with true British heartiness to remove all trace of their effete and decadent civilisation. When the Saxons advanced triumphantly upon the south of England, they arrived at London and stopped. They were disconcerted by what they saw for they had never set eyes on a town before, and this town with its dwellings and hovels occupied by a great number of fierce looking devils, was more than they could stand. They decided promptly that they hated towns. They decided that they could do no kind of a deal with the leader of the unholy place and they moved on hurriedly to the kind of country that they understood.

And after the Saxons came the Danes. The Danes chased the Saxons madly over hill and dale and they too ran foul of the incredible town. For nearly 200 years, employing every kind of frightfulness, they tried to crack this tough nut, but although they had temporary successes, in the main the Cockneys gave them merry hell, not to mention things like arson and murder. They hurried the Danes with every form of ingenuity, cunning and ruthlessness, including on one occasion diverting the water of the River Lee, where the Danish fleet was in hiding, and when the ships were high and dry, swooping upon them and smashing them up in no uncertain manner.

All this time they were diligently carrying on business making money in their trade and generally doing very nicely. The Danes who gradually achieved a wholesome respect for these people were only finally allowed in when they gave evidence of being willing to settle down quietly and go into business like other sensible people.

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Now it must be reluctantly admitted that William the Conqueror, the famous William the Conqueror, the last and most successful invader of England, managed to get himself crowned at Westminster, but it was largely due to Fifth Column activity I do assure you. This kind of treachery seems to have been pretty rampant in those days, too, among the plutocrats with their totalitarian tendencies. But even so London managed to extract from the Conqueror a very nice little Charter which upheld and preserved for the future her unassailable position of independence and courage. These principles have been jealously guarded ever since and have been added to. And to-day the Lord Mayor of London is a powerful and imposing officer, second only to the King in his own precincts. The monarch may only go into the City of London, as opposed to the City of Westminster where he lives, with the express invitation of the Lord Mayor. And during the threats of invasion to this island by the Spanish, Dutch and French, London stood ready with her treasure and her men for any extremity. And we have to-day the Prime Minister's word that she is determined to fight street by street with habitual cockney spleen if our enemies have the temerity and the luck to penetrate so far.

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It is a comforting thought to know that the fibre of our citizens has not weakened since those far off days when they resisted the Norsemen face to face and weapon to weapon. One feels it very strongly moving about this city to-day. The average Londoner goes about his work a pretty quiet tempo because, as you know, he is not a very excitable person. When you watch him, you really believe that he has the steadiest nerves in the world, and you know he never loses his sense of humour. And London has a certain pride which accompanies the conviction that never in her history has she stood higher than to-day, never has she been more discussed, and never more certainly has she been the capital of European civilisation. For if London is the capital of all Britons the world over, is she not at this tragic moment, also the capital of Poland, Norway, Belgium and all those other once free countries which are now under Germany's heel?

I am sure you will realise what a wonderful thing it is to walk the streets of London and to see the free men of all these countries, wearing the uniform of their armed services, still being able to continue the fight, still being able to look up and see their flags flying bravely over the freest city ever built on dry land. Everyone of you who are listening to me, who speak the English language, you would have been proud to have witnessed on the 14th of July, a parade through the London streets, under their leader, of the French soldiers, sailors and airmen, who refused to surrender to the enemy, and who have found sanctuary here. You would have been grateful to realise that the British capital is the only capital in Europe where this could have happened, and that it will always be so. For this, as Mr. Churchill said, is a strong city of refuge, this is one of the inspirations of man, this is liberty in its noblest sense. This is London.

NAZIS LOSE 15 PLANES IN 30 MINUTES

LONDON, July 29.

Later details of this morning's air battle establish that the German air force lost at least fifteen machines in thirty minutes.

THIRTY JUNKERS AND 87 DIVE-BOMBERS PROTECTED BY FIFTY MESSERSCHMIDTS ATTEMPTED A SURPRISE ATTACK ON A HARBOUR. STRONG FORMATIONS OF SPITFIRES AND HURRICANES SWEPT OUT AND WITHIN A FEW MINUTES THE AIR WAS FILLED WITH BATTLING AIRCRAFT. SEVERAL THOUSAND FEET ABOVE THE BOMBERS, WHICH WERE FLYING IN TWO WAVES, WERE LAYERS OF CIRCLING MESSERSCHMIDTS. BRITISH FIGHTERS "WENT FOR" BOTH.

British Take Heavy Toll

THE SPITFIRES OF ONE SQUADRON DESTROYED FOUR MESSERSCHMIDTS AND A BOMBER. A SIMILAR FEAT WAS PERFORMED BY A SINGLE HURRICANE SQUADRON.

An earlier telegram said:—

"Enemy bombers escorted by fighters attacked a harbour on the south-east coast this morning;" states the Air Ministry and adds "strong formations of R. A. F. Fighters intercepted the enemy.

"Reports so far received show that our fighter pilots shot down eight enemy bombers and seven fighters. Although several of our aircraft were damaged in this fierce engagement, only one was lost.

"An enemy bomber was shot down over south England during last night's raids."

Nazi Pilots Pay Heavy Penalty

Reuter's correspondent standing near the seafront on the south-east coast during the morning's air battle describes the way bomber hordes swept out of the dazzling glare of the sun like an angry swarm of bees In a moment, anti-aircraft guns of every type roared into action. Nazi pilots sailed through the barrage with incredible recklessness but speedily paid the penalty. One burst into flames in midair as a result of a direct hit and crashed into the sea. A second, trailing black smoke, followed immediately in mid-Channel. German Stukas streamed down almost vertically in waves of eight at a time. As the raiders flattened out, bombs could be counted as they left the racks under the wings. High above circled the bombers' escort of fighters, like scores of little silver bullets against the background of blue sky. Terrific concussions of bursting bombs shook houses all along the seafront and windows everywhere shattered while spouts of water over a hundred feet high showered a spray over ships which bobbed about like corks.

So intense was the volume of artillery fire that the last wave of raiders broke off in the middle of their dives and swung round to get out of range. The R. A. F. fighters streaked across the sky and engaged the bombers and escorts in running fights.

Incendiary Bombs On North-Eastern Town

About a dozen high explosive and some incendiary bombs were dropped on a north-eastern town. There were only minor casualties, none of them fatal, though several houses were destroyed and a school was damaged.

Similar attacks were made in north-west England but no injuries were caused. One bomb dropped behind a house and another in front of the same house but except for shattered windows the house remained intact and the occupants were uninjured.

SOVIET NAVAL ASPIRATIONS

STOCKHOLM, July 29.

The strength of the Soviet Navy now exceeds that of the Japanese and German fleets combined, declared Rear-Admiral Trainin, commanding the Soviet Fleet in Latvian waters, speaking at Libau, (Latvia).

He added that when the five-year plan is completed in 1943, it is expected that the Soviet Navy will be among the first Navies of the world.—Reuter.

Frankly Speaking

Franco-German Hitch?

According to a Spanish report Franco-German negotiations for the transfer of the French Government to Paris are proceeding none too smoothly. A 'sine qua non' is, naturally, the removal of German troops from Paris which, the report significantly says, "would be dependent on political considerations, which Marshal Petain must consider carefully." In other words, Marshal Petain must consider carefully how far he must go in obedient execution of German commands in respect both of internal and international matters. In international sphere, Herr Hitler may, for instance, require the Marshal to pursue a more active anti-British policy. As to the former, it has been recently reported that the Nazis are not quite satisfied with the recent political orientation in France. They suspect the Petain-Laval regime to be inadequately totalitarian. And, indeed, it is suggested that they want to replace it with one under M. Doriot, once a French Communist and now for a number of years a rabid Nazi-Fascist.

Arrest Of Britons

Nine Britishers have been suddenly arrested in Japan where the news has not been published. It is further reported that the reason for the arrests has not been given. It is, therefore, not possible yet to estimate the full implications of this action. But it is likely that while the Japanese Cabinet is still subjecting national and foreign policies to "careful deliberation," it is seeking by these arrests to test tentatively the lengths to which it will be able safely to go in bullying Britain. There is no report yet of British reaction. But it is anticipated that the British Government will make representations to Tokyo. Let us see what happens to these representations.

Independence Not Isolation

Mr. F. E. James and several other critics of the Congress say that its demand for complete independence is now out of date. What is out of date is, not independence, but isolation for small States. India is not a small State; and while she wants independence, she does not necessarily want isolation. We agree with Mr. James that a greater conception is that of a free nation in association with other free nations either through union or through the pooling of resources for defence, etc. For that very reason India wants to be completely free to choose in what way she would be associated with other nations.

Reasonable And Natural

Mr. James thinks that the Congress demand for a National Government is unreasonable, as the parties in India are not united. Yet he suggests an enlarged coalition Executive Council as "under emergencies many unusual things could work." Cannot many unusual things work in a National Government, too? The real difference between the two views is that Mr. James wants a Coalition Council to be responsible to the British Government—which is perhaps natural for him—where as the Congress wants a Coalition Cabinet to be responsible to the Central Legislature, which is quite natural and reasonable for any self-respecting Indian body.

Indian Businessmen's Protest

The timely protest which the Committee of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry has made regarding the dispatch of the Meek-Gregory Mission to the United States deserves the earnest attention of the Government of India. The European war has resulted in a loss of nearly 30 crores of rupees to India's export trade, only a small proportion of which can be covered by the purchases of Britain and her Allies. It is imperative that alternative markets must be found immediately to divert India's exports, otherwise an economic collapse stares this country in the face. While it is gratifying to note that the Government of India have recognised the seriousness of the situation, the method adopted by them leaves much to be desired. One may not go to the length of agreeing with the Committee that the selection of Sir David Meek and Dr. T. E. Gregory was a mistake. But without the co-operation of Indian businessmen who are engaged in the export trade, the Mission can achieve little. It is to be hoped, therefore, that no time will be lost by the Government of India in associating one or two representatives of the Federation and other similar commercial bodies with the Meek-Gregory Mission.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT.

MOSCOW, July 28.

Forty German experts have arrived in connection with the execution of the Soviet-German trade agreement.—Reuter.

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Speaking at the A.-I. C. C. meeting Sjt. Yusuf Meherally is reported to have said that "they had departed from Ramgarh in an atmosphere in which a great agitation for the country's freedom seemed to have been got ready."

Our information, however, is that they departed from Ramgarh in an atmosphere of heavy rains, sweeping floods and elemental storms.

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Acharya Narendra Deo said that in his opinion, the war did not affect the Orient.

If only the Japanese would share his opinion.

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"Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru proceeded to make a biting criticism of Communist speakers."—A. P. I.

Cannot our News Agencies use less inapt expressions?

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In a communication to the Government of India, the Indian Merchants' Federation objects that Sir David Meek and Dr. T. E. Gregory are not suitable for the mission of finding markets for India in America.

But perhaps that may be why they were chosen.

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Mr. V. D. Savarkar, says a local report, has received a letter that the Viceroy desires to see him at Bombay on August 12.

Others have not yet reported to the press receipt by them of similar letters.

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An order has been issued in Holland forbidding manufacture and sale to wholesalers and retailers of a large variety of woollen and half woollen clothing.

As Gauleitter Dr. Seyss-Inquart said the other day, "Holland must co-operate in the reconstruction of Europe."

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It is suggested that with the complete surrender of Rumania to Axis protection, Germany will have a corridor to the Black Sea right through the middle of the Soviet sphere of influence.

M. Stalin may reply by having a corridor through the Bosphorus to the Dardanelles.

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Herr Hitler received, says a Berlin report, the Slovak statesmen and the talk lasted two and a half hours "in a spirit of friendship and cordial understanding."

That's an interesting problem—unless the Moscow Radio throws some light on it, which it won't.

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"I want to buy a wireless set on the hire-purchase system."

"Yes, madam. Can you give us a reference?"

"Why—yes. The last three firms can tell you that there was not a scratch on the instruments they came and took away."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

When a man has real troubles he keeps them to himself.

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Too many people neglect their plain duties for something more attractive.

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It is easier to acquire a good reputation than it is to keep the freckles off it later.

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It behooves those high in political positions to provide themselves with parachutes.

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Any woman can keep a secret if she wants to, but the trouble lies in finding a woman who wants to.

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When a bride has been married about three months she begins to write home for the old clothes that she thought she would never have occasion to use again.

"Hand Of Friendship"

In the course of the leading article in our issue of Monday it was stated:

"Gandhiji agrees with Pandit Jawaharlal that the Congress offer of friendship cannot be holding the field indefinitely but he rightly does not like to lay down any particular time limit" Through inadvertence Gandhiji's name was mentioned instead of Rajaji's.

TYPHOID INCIDENCE IN CITY

Corporation Asks For Report On Dadar Purification Works

SABAVALA'S THREAT OF NON-CO-OPERATION

THAT TYPHOID BACILLI HAD BEEN FOUND IN THE EFFLUENT OF THE DADAR PURIFICATION WORKS AND THAT RESEARCH WAS BEING CONDUCTED TO FIND OUT WHETHER FLIES WERE CARRYING THE GERMS FROM THAT EFFLUENT WAS REVEALED BY MR. M. D. BHAT, MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER, IN REPLYING TO THE CRITICISMS REGARDING THE MEASURES HE PROPOSED TO TAKE TO ELIMINATE ANY ADVERSE FACTORS OPERATING UPON THE INCIDENCE OF THE DISEASE IN THE CITY FROM THE DADAR PURIFICATION WORKS, AT A MEETING OF THE BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, ON MONDAY. MR. MATHURADAS TRICUMJI, THE MAYOR, WAS IN THE CHAIR.

Dual Control Fear

The Corporation also by an amendment moved by Mr. R. S. Nimbkar decided to refer back to the Medical Relief and Public Health Committee the question of giving sanction to locate the A. R. P. First Aid Posts on the premises of Municipal dispensaries.

When the resolution of the Medical Relief and Public Health Committee seeking the sanction of the Corporation to give permission to the A. R. P. First Aid Posts being allowed to be located on the premises of the Municipal Dispensaries was taken up Mr. Nimbkar moved an amendment seeking to refer it back to the same Committee.

Mr. Nagindas T. Master referred to the proposal contained in the letter of the Deputy Commissioner of Police, A. R. P., Bombay, that the "general control will be in the hands of the A. R. P. Officer but naturally as these are First Aid Posts, the men on the spot will deal with casualties as they are brought in." This, in his opinion, sought to bring in the question of dual control and he thought that the control should solely rest with the Corporation.

Mr. M. N. Talpade opposed the amendment.

Prof. S. R. Davar opposing the amendment characterised it as one seeking to adopt dilatory tactics.

Mr. Sunderdas Morarji supported the amendment.

After Mr. M. V. Dhonde supported the Committee's proposal and questioned the necessity of referring it back to the same Committee without any new proposal to discuss Mr. A. P. Sabavala criticised the amendment.

THREAT OF NON-CO-OPERATION

Referring to his own experiences as an A. R. P. Warden, Mr. Sabavala said that it was wrong to think that the control was in the hands of A. R. P. wardens. It was a critical period and emergencies might arise when the city might be attacked by enemies and the Municipality was there to defend human liberties. The attitude taken up by the Congress Party was a negative one. It was because of such an attitude that the Congress prestige was not the same as it was some years ago. (Derisive laughter from Congress members). That attitude had emasculated the country. And if the Congress Party persisted in taking up that attitude he warned them that the question of non-co-operation with any of the committees might arise once again.

Mr. K. F. Nariman said, whatever the policy of this or that party might be, in times of emergency there could be no question of non-co-operation. But under no circumstances should they abdicate their control or right to any other individual or organisation until the whole position was clarified to their satisfaction.

After Mr. M. E. Joshi spoke against the amendment closure was moved and applied and the amendment was put to vote and carried. Poll was demanded, the result being 31 voting for and 25 against. The amendment was accepted by the House as a substantive proposition.

TYPHOID INCIDENCE AT DADAR

Dr. Khursed J. J. Cursetji moved that in view of typhoid fever in the city in recent years in an "endemic form", that is continuously throughout the year, particularly in the northern part of the city, the Commissioner be requested to report (1) the incidence of the disease in the locality within a radius of two miles of the Dadar Purification Works and in comparison with the other areas of the city outside the zone during the last two years, (2) whether the endemic nature of the disease had any connection with the Purification Works and (3) what measures the Commissioner proposed to take to eradicate any adverse factors operating upon the incidence of the disease from the Purification Works.

The Municipal Commissioner admitted that he heard such complaints not merely from inside the House but also from outside and therefore he had asked the Health Officer to investigate into the matter and submit a report. The Health Officer had submitted to him a report and from that he gathered that the incidence of the disease was greater outside the radius of two miles than inside. In 1933 typhoid attacks within a radius of two miles from the Purification Works were 548 resulting in 111 deaths. But outside the area there were 620 attacks and 168 deaths. In 1939 there were 277 attacks and 73 deaths as against 444 attacks and 153 deaths. Upto June in 1940 such attacks were 97 resulting in 35 deaths as against 194 attacks and 83 deaths. It was true that typhoid occurred during the monsoon, but he hoped that the research conducted on the subject would enable the submission of a report within a fortnight.

The proposal was accepted by the House.

The same mover sponsored another resolution seeking to name the Arthur Road Hospital as Sir Nusserwanji Choksy Municipal Infectious Diseases Hospital to perpetuate the memory of the late Dr. Sir Nusserwanji Choksy in recognition of his long and active association for a period of over 30 years as physician in charge of the hospitals for plague and infectious diseases of the Bombay Municipality.

The proposal was seconded by Prof. S. R. Davar and supported by Dr. N. N. Saher.

Mr. Nimbkar moved an amendment that the proposal be referred to the Medical and Health Committee. The amendment was accepted by the House.

The Corporation threw out a motion sponsored by Mr. Deorukar on the advisability of opening a Municipal Bank. Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, seconded the motion.

"OUT & OUT A COMMUNAL GOVERNMENT"

Adjournment Debate In Bengal Council: Fate Of Congress Motion

CALCUTTA, July 29.

With the permission of the House obtained on Friday, Mr. Lalit Chandra Das (Congress) moved an adjourned motion in the Bengal Council (Upper House) this afternoon to discuss the situation which has arisen out of the recent decision by the Government of Bengal to the effect that "it is the present policy of the Government that when an appointment is reserved for a candidate of a certain community and no suitable member of that particular community is available, attempts should be made to recruit a candidate of that community from outside Bengal before the appointment is thrown open to candidates of other communities in the province."

"COMMUNAL GOVERNMENT."

In moving the resolution Mr. Das said that the present policy of the Bengal Government showed that the Government was out and out a communal Government.

Mr. Das said that the ministers called themselves popular ministers of a popular Government, which would mean Government of the people, by the people, for the people of Bengal. But their policy disclosed that they stood for the people outside Bengal even to the detriment of the best interests of the people of Bengal and made the sad and yet true confession that it was an out and out communal Government.

CONGRESS PARTY'S SUPPORT.

Mr. Kaminj Kumar Dutta, Leader of Opposition, explaining the position of the Congress party supported the motion.

PREMIER OPPOSES MOTION.

While opposing the motion, Mr. Fazlul Huq, the Chief Minister admired some of the sentiments that had been expressed by the Leader of the Opposition. He, however, said that nothing serious had been done by this decision of Government. The appointment that had so far gone to non-Bengalee Mussalmans were very few. He said that the principle adopted by Government would apply not only to Mussalmans but to members of other communities as well. Therefore, it was not in a spirit of communalism, but for the purpose of ensuring efficiency of public services and also at the same time maintaining the communal ratio in the services that Government had initiated this policy.

The Home Minister Sir Nazimuddin, in opposing the motion, said that in certain services the rules about the domiciliary qualifications had been relaxed, but these were only very few and limited in number.

The motion was rejected without division.—A. P.

Azad Says

No Indefinite Waiting For Whitehall's Gesture

Britain Can't Put Off India's Demand Except At Her Own Peril, Says Jawahar

(From Our Correspondent)

POONA, July 29.

To-day morning Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar addressed a meeting at Congress Bhavan, when he stressed the necessity of thinking for one's self and acting thereon instead of merely indulging in speculation and destructive intellectualism.

Dr. Rajendra Prasad at the same time held discussions with workers of the Hindi Prachar Sangh.

In the evening Maulana Azad and Pandit Jawaharlal addressed an overflow meeting in Congress Bhavan compound.

In the course of his speech Maulana Azad said that by passing the Delhi resolution the Congress indicated its readiness to accept India's defence responsibility, if India was declared free.

But he wished to warn Britain at the same time that Congress could not afford to wait indefinitely for Britain's gesture.

Pandit Nehru speaking next said he sympathised with Britishers in their present plight, although he had no sympathy for the British Empire. He thought that if Britain put off conceding India's demand she would do it at her own peril.

Pt. Nehru in the evening addressed a meeting at the Fergusson College.

Mrs. Naidu and Mrs. Pandit were given a reception by Poona women at Congress Bhavan.

The All-India States' Subject's Convention meets to-morrow under the presidency of Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru.

Mr. C. Rajagopalachari, who left this afternoon, prior to the train leaving the station thanked Messrs. N. V. Gadgil and Shankarrao Deo for the excellent arrangements made in connection with the A.-I. C. C. and asked them to convey to the volunteers and Sevikas his special appreciation of their work, Mr. Asaf Ali and Dr. Rajendra Prasad also joined in the compliments.

Congress President Meets Sir Rafiuddin

POONA, July 29.

Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, the Congress President, paid a visit to Maulana Sir Rafiuddin, ex-Minister of Education, Bombay Government, this noon and spent sometime with him. They are believed to have discussed the internal and international situations.

The Maulana and Sir Rafiuddin are old acquaintances, meeting for the first time at Dacca in 1906 in connection with the All-India Muslim League Conference.—United Press.

Rajen Babu To See Gandhiji

WARDHA, July 29.

Dr. Rajendra Prasad, Mr. C. Rajagopalachari and Dr. Prafulla Ghosh, members of the Working Committee, and five other members of the A. I. C. C., are arriving here to-morrow from Poona. The former three will see Mahatma Gandhi and, it is understood, will acquaint Gandhiji with the proceedings in Poona.—United Press.

R. A. F. BOMBS ENEMY AERODROMES

Raids On Holland, Germany And Northern France

LONDON, July 29.

An Air Ministry "communique" states: Last night Air Force bombers attacked military objectives in Northern and Western Germany. The targets included oil depots, docks and goods-yards and also seventeen aerodromes in Germany, Holland, Belgium, and Northern France. Three of our aircraft are missing.

Coastal Command aircraft again raided Cherbourg oil-tanks. Many fires were started and our aircraft returned safely.

An aircraft of the Bomber Command made a daylight attack yesterday on the Leeuwarden aerodrome in Holland. A number of enemy aircraft on the ground were damaged. On the return journey this bomber was engaged by four enemy fighters one of which was driven down. The bomber returned safely.—Reuter.

BR. AIRCRAFT DESTROYS ENEMY FIGHTER

Sunderland Boat Attacks Three Ships

CAIRO, July 29.

It is officially announced that British aircraft destroyed one enemy fighter in the air and two others on the ground in Eastern Libya and one bomber on the ground in Italian East Africa.

One British machine is missing.

Sunderland Attacks Three Ships

A Sunderland flying boat patroling the Mediterranean attacked three ships without known result. The Sunderland was attacked by three formations of enemy monoplane fighters. The Sunderland maintained running action throughout the return fight, shot down an Italian fighter in flames and drove down another out of control. The Sunderland returned safely.

COMBAT IN AIR

Another Sunderland on patrol was attacked by enemy fighters one of which broke up in the air and another abandoned the combat apparently badly damaged. The Sunderland returned to its base safely.

An enemy bomber escorted by a large formation of fighters raided Malta yesterday; only slight damage was done. An enemy fighter was brought down by anti-aircraft and crashed into the sea.

FRENCH PILOTS IN R. A. F.

French Pilots and crews operating with the R. A. F. carried out valuable reconnaissance in the Diredawa area.

Enemy bombers raided Aden causing very slight damage to one ship.—Reuter.

In Western Desert

CAIRO, July 29.

A communique states: "In the Egyptian Western Desert an observation patrol of light armoured fighting vehicles which had penetrated far behind the enemy's front was spotted and subjected to a continuous low flying attack by Italian bombers and fighters. Some casualties to men and vehicles were suffered. On the other fronts there is nothing of importance to report."—Reuter.

BRITISH DESTROYER LOST

LONDON, July 29.

The Admiralty announces that the British destroyer "Wren" (Lt.-Commander F. W. G. Harker) has been lost through enemy action. The "Wren" was hit by a bomb during action between our patrolling destroyers and enemy aircraft and subsequently sank. During the engagement the British destroyer "Montrose" shot down two enemy bombers.

Nazi Losses Total Six A Day

German air losses over Britain since the beginning of the war are 318 aeroplanes of which 244 have been destroyed since the beginning of June 18, making an average of six a day since then.

BRITAIN GUARDS ITS RAILWAYS

The whole of Britain's railway system is being controlled by armed railway workers, who are members of the Civic Guards.—Reuter.

R. A. F. Bombing Near Moyale

NAIROBI, July 29.

A communique states "our air force successfully bombed concentrations of enemy troops and camel transports in the neighbourhood of Moyale. Only light anti-aircraft opposition was encountered."—Reuter.

SWARAJ PARTY FOR PUNJAB

Attempt To Bring All Congressmen On One Platform

LAHORE, July 29.

With a view to bringing different groups in the Punjab Congress on a common platform, a new party called the Punjab Swaraj Party has been formed at a meeting of about 100 prominent Congress workers from all parts of the province. Sardar Gopal Singh, who was unanimously elected leader of the party, has been empowered to nominate the Executive and frame the constitution of the party.

It was explained that the new party was being organised to put an end to the present party strife in the Punjab Congress. It would be open to all those, who are members of the Congress without any regard to their previous party label in the Punjab.

Among those, who attended the meeting were Sardar Mangalsingh M.L.A. (Central), Pandit Munilal Kalia, M.L.A. and other Congress workers.—A. P.

OVERHAULING WAR OFFICE & COMMANDS

LONDON, July 29.

The War Minister has established a Standing Committee under the chairmanship of Sir John (James?) Grigg "to consider the present administrative organisation and procedure of the War Office and Military Commands with a view to introducing such changes of organisation and simplifications of procedure as necessary to give elasticity which war-time conditions demand."

Members of the Committee will be Sir Percy Bates, G. W. Dunkley, Lt.-Gen. Sir Robert Haining, Gen. Sir Walter Venning, Lt.-Gen. H. C. B. Wemyss, Mr. R. J. Sinclair.—Reuter.

Enemy Raider Brought Down

LONDON, July 29.

An enemy raider was brought down in flames into the sea and several others are believed to have been crippled in a sharp battle in which a large number of planes participated over the south-east coast of England this morning.

The fight raged at a great height and the planes could only occasionally be seen. This was the second fight over this area today. A raider dropped incendiary bombs on a Midland town during the night. All were promptly dealt with and only slight damage was caused. One bomb fell through the roof into a bedroom in which three children were sleeping but it was quickly extinguished with a stirrup pump.—Reuter.

R. A. F. Attack On German Aerodrome

LONDON, July 29.

The Air Ministry News Service states that Blenheims scored many direct hits on Cherbourg oil tanks early this morning.

A German aerodrome on the Dutch coast was also attacked last night and many fires started on the airfield.—Reuter.

BR. WARSHIPS FIRE ON ITALIAN BOMBERS

ROME, July 29.

According to the Italian news agency, a battle took place yesterday afternoon between two squadrons of Italian aircraft and a British naval squadron consisting of four warships, an aircraft carrier and eleven destroyers escorting four large merchant vessels.

The despatch says that bomber squadrons attacked the ships and "an extremely violent battle ensued."

The fire from the ships was very strong and several Italian bombers were hit but "were very slightly damaged and able to return to their bases".

At the same time, the message claims that several ships were damaged.—Reuter.

British Troops Missing On Libyan-Egyptian Border

LONDON, July 29.

It is learned authoritatively in London that some British patrolling troops are missing as the result of an encounter on Libyan-Egyptian frontier.—Reuter.

Longest Air-Raid In The War

LONDON, July 29.

The longest air-raid of the war was over Wales and lasted more than three and half hours.

Eleven bombs were dropped in one district. Damage was only slight to a farm out-house.—Reuter.

Victory For Roosevelt's Foreign Policy

U. S. Press On Havana Conference Achievements

NEW YORK, July 29.

It seems probable that the agreement reached by the pan-American Conference at Havana will have direct practical impact upon international affairs "beyond anything which has proceeded in the past from the innocuous rituals of Pan-Americanism," declares the "Herald Tribune."

It adds, "Havana represents an important victory for the policy of the Western Hemisphere which has formed one cornerstone of the President's conduct of foreign affairs. The measures agreed on have been definatly adopted by Latin-American representatives, in the face of confident Totalitarian predictions that the conference would fail."

"The New York Times" while expressing satisfaction over the conference results says "if a Hitler victory in Europe can be prevented, the problem of economic defence of the Western Hemisphere will be greatly reduced, and the problem in a military sense will hardly exist. If we ignore that primary problem, our policy will be like that of men busily baling out a boat, while ignoring the leak which makes their labour necessary."—Reuter

ECONOMIC DEFENCE PLAN FOR AMERICA

HAVANA, July 23.

The Economic Co-operation Commission of the Pan-American Conference adopted the Chilean proposal providing that Latin-American countries shall take over the public utility concerns controlled by extra-continental interests which are threatened with seizure by foreign interests.

The proposal includes a general economic defence plan which will be submitted to the Permanent Economic Commission to determine the manner in which such concerns shall be acquired.

Mr. Schnake, head of the Chilean delegation, submitting the proposal suggested that the acquisition of such concerns should be regulated by the constitution of the nations concerned.

It might be either by expropriation or some other system. The majority of such concerns in Latin-America are British, French and Dutch.

Mr. Schnake said that this step was essential in order to prevent further infiltration from overseas.—Reuter

PAN-AMERICAN CONFERENCE

HAVANA, July 29.

The Argentine delegate to the Pan-American Conference revealed that the Inter-American Convention of European Colonies in the Western Hemisphere excludes those possessions which are subject to claims by other countries.

These would include Belize which is claimed by Honduras and the British-owned Falkland Islands claimed by Argentina.—Reuter.

TRAINING FOR U. S. NATIONAL GUARD

WASHINGTON, July 29.

President Roosevelt to-day sent Congress a draft of suggested legislation to permit him to order the National Guard and Officers' Reserve Corps into active training.

In a letter which was read to the Senate, President Roosevelt said that these men would return to civilian life when they had been sufficiently trained to handle the most modern equipment. President Roosevelt recalled that he had recently asked Congress to authorise him to order out the National Guard when necessary, but he did not consider this power sufficient.—Reuter.

MARWADI CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The Marwadi Chamber of Commerce and its office, writes its Secretary, will remain closed on Thursday, August 1, in honour of the anniversary of the late Lokmanya Tilak.

FOUR ITALIAN PLANES DESTROYED OFF MALTA

MALTA, July 29.

It is officially announced that four Italian aircraft were destroyed during the various engagements off Malta to-day.

There were no British air losses.—Reuter.

YEAR'S EXTENSION FOR CORPORATION

It is understood that the proposal of the Municipal Commissioner to approach Government for the extension of life of the Bombay Municipal Corporation by one year, has been unanimously approved by the Law, Revenue and General Purposes Committee.

According to the present arrangements the Municipal elections are to take place in 1942. In view of the difficulties involved, in collating new census figures, the proposal to extend the life by one year is understood to have been put forward.

FALSIFICATION OF ACCOUNTS

Accused Convicted

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice B. J. Wadia)

King-Emperor

versus

H. D. Daruwalla alias Patel: .....Accused

The accused was charged with theft of a cheque book or in the alternative with wilfully receiving a stolen cheque-book belonging to the Mandvi Branch of the Central Bank of India, Ltd. and with dishonestly using as genuine a forged cheque for Rs. 2,000 and thus attempting to cheat the Bank and for that purpose falsifying the ledgers account of Ibrahim Yusuf and Co. by whom that cheque was purported to have been drawn.

The prosecution alleged that the accused who was a ledger-keeper in the Mandvi Branch of the Central Bank of India Ltd., falsely inflated the ledger account of the firm of Ibrahim Yusuf and Co. by Rs. 2,000 and then had a cheque for that amount dated 2nd January 1940 forged in the name of that company from a cheque-book which he had stolen for that purpose. The accused is then alleged to have collected the amount of that cheque through the account of a friend who was ignorant of the fraud.

The Jury returned a unanimous verdict on all the charges. It found the accused not guilty of theft of the cheque-book, but found him guilty of all the other offences charged.

His Lordship thereupon acquitted the accused of the offence of theft, but sentenced him to two years' rigorous imprisonment on the alternative charge of wilfully receiving stolen property under Section 411 of the Indian Penal Code and to 3 years' rigorous imprisonment on each of the other three charges—the sentences to run concurrently.

Mr. B. D. Boovariwala instructed by the Public Prosecutor, Mr. N. K. Petigara, appeared for the prosecution.

Mr. Musaji Patel defended the accused.

CRICKETERS TO HELP BRITAIN

Proposal To Donate Fleet Of Ambulance Vans

NEW DELHI, July 29.

"Cricketers can help with men for the fighting forces, can help with honorary workers and can help with money—every small donation will help", observed Mr. A. S. DeMello, President of the Delhi and District Cricket Association, at a special meeting of the Association convened to discuss a scheme for war efforts and to recommend to the Cricket Control Board to consider it at its next meeting in Bombay on August 4.

Mr. DeMello said that cricketers in India had a special duty to perform at a time when England, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa—all cricketing countries—were fighting shoulder to shoulder to save civilisation and with it the great game of cricket. He appealed to members to recommend to the Cricket Control Board to render every possible help to the war efforts in India and suggested that the gift of a fleet of motor ambulances would be a fitting effort. Mr. DeMello promised to donate Rs. 500 and pay Rs. 100 per month for the duration of the war for the fulfilment of this proposal.

Mr. DeMello in conclusion advised the members to contribute as much as they could afford toward materialisation of the scheme.

The proposal to donate a fleet of ambulance vans was unanimously approved by the Committee with a recommendation that Mr. DeMello should place it at the meeting of the Cricket Control Board in Bombay on August 4 for consideration.—A. P.

VICEREINE AT OOTY

OOTACAMUND, July 29.

Her Excellency, the Marchioness of Linlithgow accompanied by her daughter the Lady Joan hope motored to Ketty, a suburban station five miles from Ooty at 11 o'clock this morning and visited St. George's Home—a Home for orphans and destitute children of European descent.

The Vicereine and party returned to Government House at Ooty at 12-45 p.m.

NEW YORK COTTON THREE POINTS DOWN

COTTON:

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES
OCTOBER 1940

New York: July 29.

Previous closing	9.39
To-day's opening	9.35
Difference	—4
To-day's closing	9.36
Difference	—3

BROACH EXPECTATION

Broach July/August 1940	Rs. 182/8
Broach April/May 1941	Rs. 198/0

LIVERPOOL COTTON
OCTOBER 1940

Liverpool: July 29.

Previous closing	7.15
To-day's opening	7.16
Difference	—2
To-day's closing	7.16
Difference	—2

NEW YORK COTTON

New York: July 29.

New York cotton was depressed by discouraging overseas cables, but on subsidence of pressure prices recovered with fairly good trade calling. The trading in October began at 9.35, i. e. 4 points lower than the last closing. Prices eased under lower overseas cables and hedging but later rallied steadily on trade and local support with October improving to 9.39.

The following were opening ranges on New York Cotton Exchange:—

July Old (9.42/42) 9.35/35
October (9.28/27) 9.23/23
March (9.07/07) 9.00/8.99

LONDON COMMODITIES

SEEDS

London: July 29.

Castorseeds July/August (£17 3/4) £17 3/4
Linseed Bombay Calcutta July/August (£16 5/8) £16 5/8
Linseed La Plata July/August (£15) £15
Groundnuts Coromandal July (£15 5/8) £15 5/8

JUTES

Dundee August (£33) £33
Lightning August (£30) £30

RUBBER

Spot (12 3/8d paid and value) 12 1/2d paid and value
Forward October December (12d paid and value) 12 3/16d paid and value

METALS.

Tin (£265 1/4 buyers; £266 3/4 sellers. Barely steady) £267 3/4 buyers; £268 sellers. Steadier
Electrolytic Copper (£62) £62
Land Foreign Cash (£25) £25
Glasgow Iron No. 3 (123 sh.) 123 sh.

EXCHANGES:

CROSS RATES

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York: July 29.

Previous closing 3.86
To-day's opening 3.85

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London: July 29.

Previous closing ..... 4.02 1/2 to 4.03 1/2
To-day's opening ..... 4.02 1/2 to 4.03 1/2
To-day's closing ..... 4.02 1/2 to 4.03 1/2

T. T. LONDON ON PARIS

London: July 29.

T T London on Paris not quoted.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York: July 29.

The following are the opening quotations:—

General Motors dol. 44 1/4
Anaconda Copper Mining dol. 19
U S Steel Common dol. 51 1/4
U S Steel Preference unquoted

LONDON SILVER CABLE

London: July 29.

The following cable was received from London:—

Bears covered. Offerings not much. Business small.

LONDON SILVER

London: July 29.

Spot (22 3/8d) 22 9/16d +3/16
Forward (22 1/16d) 22 1/8d 1/16

LONDON GOLD

London: July 29.

Gold Bars Fine per Ounce (£8/8/0) £8/8/0

LONDON EXCHANGES

London: July 29.

London Exchange opened with the sterling dollar at 4.02.50 to 4.03.50 which is officially fixed rate

CROSS RATES

London on Bombay (1.6) 1.6
Paris on Bombay (unquoted) unquoted
New York on Bombay (30.32) 30.32
New York on Milan (unquoted) unquoted
London on Shanghai (0.3 11/16 to 0.4 1/8) 0.3 3/4 to 0.4 1/8
London on Kobe (1.2 1/2 to 1.3) 1.2 5/8 to 1.3 1/8

DISCOUNTS

3 months (1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent) 1 1/32 to 1 1/16 per cent
4 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent) 1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent
6 months (1 1/4 to 1 1/4 per cent) 1 1/4 to 1 1/4 per cent

BULLION AND SEEDS

Bombay: July 29.

There was no trading during the night session.

3 1/2 P.C. STERLING LOAN

London: July 29.

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed unchanged at £91 1/2

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London: July 29.

The London Stock Exchange was irregular to-day.

INDIAN LOANS

London: July 29.

3 per cent Indian Stocks (£96) £96
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stocks 1950/55 (£107) £107
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stocks 1958/68 (£109) £109
4 per cent Indian Stocks 1948/53 (£104) £104
5 per cent Indian Stocks 1942/47 (£103 3/4) £103 3/4
3 1/2 per cent Indian Stocks 1954/58 (£100) £100

AUSTRALIAN LOANS

5 per cent 1958/68 (£102) £102

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£72 5/8) £72 7/8
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£100 5/8) £100 1/4
2 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£98 5/8) £98 5/8
4 per cent Funding Loan (£110 3/8) £110 5/8
3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£99 5/8) £99 3/4
New War Loan (£100 1/2) £100 1/2
4 1/2 per cent Victory Bonds (£109 1/2) £109 3/4

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors (9-0) 9-0
Marks and Spencer Ordinary (33-9) 33-3
Hydro Electric (No dealings) No dealings
Electric Music Industry (6-4 1/2) 6-4 1/2
Princhin Johnson (15-6) 15-6
Imperial Chemicals (25-3) 25-0
Woolsworth New Ordinary (54-9) 54-3
San Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rates 1939 (£30 1/2) £31
Dundee Rubber (27-3) 27-0
Unilever Ordinary (20-6) 20-6
Ford Motors (15-1 1/2) 15-1 1/2
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary (£37) £28
British American Tobacco Ordinary (73-9) 76-1 1/2
Carreas 'A' (£4) £4 1/8
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (93-9) 90-0 ex-div
P and O Def (17-0) 17-0
Distillers (56-0) 56-0
Bredfords Dye (3-1 1/2) 3 1 1/2
British Celanese (3-10 1/2) 4-0
J and P Coates Ordinary (26-7 1/2) 27
Courtaulds Ordinary (27-0) 26-9 ex-div
Fine Cotton Spinners (2-10 1/2) 2-10 1/2
Vickers Limited Ordinary (13-6) 13-6
Inter Nickel Ordinary (No dealings) No dealings
Indian Iron (40-0) 39-4 1/2

TEA SHARES

Assam (13-9) 13-9
Donaro Tea (25-0) 25-0
Empire of India (17-0) 17-0

JUTE

Barnagore (£8) £8

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber (15-0) 15-3
Gula Kelampong (13-9) 15-0
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (22-9) 23-0

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug (22-6) 22-6
Burma Corporation (7-3) 7-6
Rio Tintos (£5 1/2) £5 1/2
East Rand Properties (33-1 1/2) 32-6
Rand Mines (£5 3/4) £5 3/4

MINE SHARES

Crown (£12 1/2) £12 1/4
Associated Portland Cement (50-0) 51-10 1/2
Trinidad Leaseholds (56-3) 56-3
Sub Nigel (£7 5/8) £7 5/8
Spring Mines Split Shares (18-9) 18-1 1/2
Union Corporation (£5 5/8) £5 5/8

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (21-10 1/2) 21-3
Anglo India (31-3) 30-7 1/2
Burma Oil (45-7 1/2) 45-7 1/2
Mexican Eagle (3-3) 3-6
Shell Transport (35-0) 33-9
Royal Dutch (No dealings) No dealings

RAILWAY SHARES

Great Western Ordinary (£32) £30 ex-div
London Midland Ordinary (£13 3/4) £12 3/4
London North Eastern Def (£1 5/8) £1 1/2
London Southern Def (£10 3/4) £10 3/4
London Transport 5 per cent (£114 1/2) £114 1/2
London Transport 'C' (£30 1/2) £29 1/2 ex-div.

Weather Report

POONA: July 29.

The following is the maximum and the minimum temperature and rainfall figures recorded at the various stations during the 24 hours ending 8 a.m. to-day:—

STATIONS.	Temperatures. Maximum.	Minimum.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours.	Total since June 1	Departure from normal.
Chittagong	87	77	0.0	39.3	—2.4
Calcutta	88	80	0.1	18.2	—5.5
Cuttack	90	79	T	37.5	+16.1
Ranchi	85	74	0.1	24.8	+0.8
Patna	91	82	0.0	14.9	—4.8
Gorakhpur	92	81	T	12.6	—7.8
Benares	90	80	0.7	14.2	—2.0
Allahabad	92	82	0.0	7.0	.....
Cawnpore	96	82	0.0	5.2	—8.3
Lucknow	93	82	0.0	9.3	—6.3
Jhansi	95	82	0.0	11.0	—4.5
Agra	99	82	T	3.3	—7.8
Bareilly	89	76	3.9	20.5	+2.5
Dehra Dun	84	74	1.0	31.1	—2.2
Delhi	95	79	0.9	5.7	—4.6
Ambala	98	81	0.0	16.8	+6.1
Ludhiana	97	81	0.0	13.0	+2.8
Lahore	103	84	0.0	4.3	—2.7
Sialkot	99	92	0.0	11.3	+1.2
Rawalpindi	100	83	0.0	9.9	+0.3
Lyallpur	104	87	0.0	1.3	—2.8
Multan	107	88	0.0	1.9	—0.7
Srinagar	92	69	0.0	3.9	+0.2
Peshawar	102	85	0.0	1.3	—0.2
Dehra I. Khan	105	85	0.0	2.3	—0.4
Fort Sandeman	98	77	0.0	2.9	+0.3
Quetta	95	66	0.0	1.8	—1.5
Rangoon	86	75	0.5	44.4	+6.2
Khandwa	77	74	0.4	22.6	+8.8
Jubbulpore	87	77	0.4	21.0	—3.3
Nagpur	84	76	1.9	41.7	+19.3
BOMBAY	82	75	0.4	48.3	+6.6
Ratnagiri	83	74	2.5	56.2	—4.1
Ahmednagar	91	72	T	11.6	+3.2
Poona	78	71	0.1	8.1	—3.3
Sholapur	85	71	0.0	5.5	—3.3
Hyderabad (Dn.)	86	73	T	9.8	—0.8
Bangalore	80	67	0.0	6.2	—0.5
Mysore	79	68	0.1	8.2	+2.8
Calicut	78	74	1.6	69.3	+6.6
Madras	94	81	0.0	5.0	—0.5
Darjeeling	67	58	0.4	48.4	—9.0
Simla	66	50	0.1	20.5	—2.2
Pachmarhi	74	70	0.2	48.2	+16.4
Kodaikanal	65	53	0.2	8.9	.....
Colombo	86	74	0.5	11.0	—1.8
Jacobabad	106	85	0.0	0.1	—1.0
Hyderabad (Sd.)	106	82	0.0	1.5	—1.6
Karachi	87	80	0.0	2.5	—1.3
Jaipur	96	80	0.0	8.3	—1.7
Ajmer	96	79	0.9	6.7	—1.9
Deesa	88	80	0.0	10.2	—0.7
Rajkot	88	78	0.0	9.0	—6.0
Ahmedabad	82	78	0.5	5.7	—9.6
Bhopal	79	74	1.9	25.2	.....
Akola	82	71	2.3	19.9	+5.4
Amraoti	76	73	T	25.4	+20.5
Indore	77	72	0.7	24.1	+8.6
Marmagoa	82	75	0.7	57.7	...
Malegaon	83	73	0.0	6.4	—2.5
Mussoorie	68	61	5.4	44.2	+14.0
Mahableshwar	65	61	2.9	129.6	—13.1
Baroda	81	76	0.4	10.9	.....
Belgaum	77	68	0.1	29.7	+6.4
Murree	72	63	0.0	20.2	+5.4
Cherrapunji	71	71	0.0	4.4	—1.1
Dalhousie	72	62	9.5	25.0	—1.7
Khandalla	...	...	3.4	101.0	.....
Mount Abu	73	68	0.2	9.6	—14.9
Ootacamund	59	53	0.2	15.0	+0.6
Jodhpur	99	80	0.1	2.9	—2.1

T indicates rainfall from 1 to 4 cents.—A.P.

MONSOON STRONG IN WEST U. P.

POONA: July 29.

Monsoon has been strong in and near the hills in West United Provinces, active in Assam, Southeast Rajputana, East Gujarat, West Central India, Berar, West Central Provinces, Konkan, North Hyderabad, Mysore and Malabar. Local rain has occurred in Bengal, Bihar, E. Cent. Provinces, W. Rajputana, Madras Deccan and North Madras Coast, while a few falls are reported in Orissa, Chota Nagpur, plains of United Provinces, in East and North Punjab, Bombay Deccan and Southeast Madras.—A. P.

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY

Summary of meteorological observations during 24 hours ending at 8 a.m. of 29th of July, 1940:—

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hrs. —.077 inches.
Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 80.1 deg.
Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 77.6 deg.
Maximum temperature during 24 hrs. 82.0 deg. (3.0 below normal)
Minimum temperature during 24 hrs. 74.9 deg. (1.2 below normal)
Relative humidity at 8 a.m. 89 per cent.
Direction of wind at 8 a.m. N-W.
Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 9 miles per hr.
Total movement of wind in 24 hrs. 224 mls.
Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hrs. 31 miles per hour.
Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. to 10) 10.
Rainfall in 24 hours 0.42 inches.
Total rainfall during the month 18.29 inches
Total rainfall during the year 49.64 inches.
Weather Remarks: Rain.

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 29/7/1940.

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 81.0 deg. F. a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 29.83 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.63 inches.

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

CALCUTTA: July 29.

General conditions of the market ruled quiet, but steady after the week-end. Government Securities on the other hand ruled quietly steady and moderate business was put through.

The following are closing quotations:—

Government Securities: 3 per cent Govt Paper 75/14 s lot; 3 per cent New Loan 1963-65 89/8 s odd lot; 3 1/2 per cent Govt Paper 89/14; 4 per cent Loan 1960/70 104 s lot; 5 per cent Loan 1945/55 109/8.

Banks: Reserve Bank 99 ex-div.

Coals: Bengal 324, Bhalgora 3/11, Pench Valley 35/8 ct s lot; Lakurka 10/8 s lot; Seebpore 22/8 Prem ct s lot; Union 33/8 s lot ct.

Jutes: Anglo-India 300, Howrah 'A' Pref 135 s lot; Hukumchand Pref 90; Kamarhatty Pref 137.

Minings: Burma Corpn 5/1, Consolidated Tin 3; Indian Copper 2/1, Rhodesia Copper As. 15.

Eng. Companies: Burn and Co ord 312 ct, Indian Galvanizing 26/6, Indian Iron and Steel 26/6; Marshalls 1/12; Steel Corpn ord 15/2.

Miscellaneous: Dalmia Cement ord 8 s lot; Pref 85 ct; Dacca Elec Pref 13 s lot; Dunlop Rubber ord 29/4; Second Pref 105 ct; Indo-Burma Petroleum 98; Titaghur Paper ord 14/12; Assam Saws 2/0/10.

Sugar Shares: Raza 13/12.

Debentures: 3 per cent 1937/62 Calcutta Improvement Trust Debs 86/8.—A. P.

MADRAS SHARE MARKET

MADRAS: July 29.

The local Stock Exchange remained quiet with a dull undertone. Planting shares remained unchanged and Sugar shares were easier. Cotton Mills and Banks remained steady.

Exchange transactions from 12 noon of 27th to 12 noon of 29th inst. were:—

Chambra Peaks 3/2 cd; Travancore Rubber 12 s l; West Coast Electrics 6/10; Travancore Sugars 12/2.

Football Pentangular

Europeans Very Lucky

Series Of Chances Wasted By The Rest

EUROPEANS 3: THE REST 1

Atrociously bad weather keeps with the Soccer Pentangular and again on Monday there was plenty of mire and slush underfoot which made football difficult, well nigh impossible. The Europeans and the Rest however, made the best of the evil conditions. The Europeans won by three goals to one. This is far from an index of the run of the game. The least the Rest deserved was a draw. They had all the bad luck. To begin with Referee Haworth gave the Europeans the lead, awarding a goal that to all appearance was saved by Cohen. From the stands it appeared no goal, and one wonders how the Referee decreed a point from the distance he was, with the goal line obliterated by mud. The benefit of the doubt was deserved by the defending side.

This incident occurred about ten minute's from the close of the first half. A penalty was awarded the Europeans. Hill took the kick, Cohen got it straight, but the ball fell from his hand and rolled towards the goal line, Cohen just managed, in the unanimous opinion of all, to flick the ball away. Referee Haworth differed. This was not the officials only error.

EUROPEAN REFEREE

A critic must repeat a question on all sides. Why was a European referee put in charge of the game, when the Europeans were playing? If the W. I. F. A. had to have communal football, everything should have been communal, and neutral referees should operate, people who could not be suspected in the least. No one had anything against Mr. Ghosh at the close of the first match.

The bad luck that dogged the Rest was terrible in the second spell of the match. Here they missed a series of great openings that should have rightly won them the match had a few of the chances been translated into goals.

DADOO FAILS

The Rest also committed a blunder when they played Dadoo, a barefooted player. Any moderate, but booted player would have done more than Dadoo. You could not blame the player, as the ground conditions were absolutely against him. Another passenger in the team Raffael, at outside left, he was pathetic at times. He had no idea of what to do. It will not be wrong to say, that a solitary pass of his was the only correct thing he did in sixty minutes.

THE GAME

To start with the exchanges were shared. The first efforts to score came from the Europeans, initially Lindford put a nice opening wide and then Cohen intercepted correctly a nice shot from Stone. But, it was in the tenth minute that, Woodcock, of the Rest blundered badly, a nice movement gave him possession five yards out with only Edden in front, he dallied and then kicked with his left foot to see the ball miss its destination by yards.

Four minutes later the Europeans failed to make use of a corner. The Rest did the same with two such awards shortly after.

After Langton missed a nice opening, came the "gift goal" that gave the Europeans the lead.

This advantage was not long kept, a brilliant move by the Rest from the kick-off closed with Woodcock putting the teams on terms. Gardner shortly after missed an opportunity to put the Rest ahead. Then the Europeans were unlucky, Richards hitting the cross bar with a good shot. Hill, however, put the Europeans ahead before half time.

MANY CHANCES LOST

The Rest had deplorable luck after the interval. Edden brought off a very lucky save, his shoulder, with him prostrate on the ground, deflecting a shot that looked all over the equaliser. McHugh, then came along and from close quarters put the ball over. The same player had poor luck when he allowed Edden to reach the ball a fraction of a second before him. Raffael's slowness marred a further chance to score. A fine raid was held up by Adams getting offside. Halfway through this period Adams missed a sitter. Gardner could well have scored about the 23rd minute if he did not foolishly wait for Woodcock to do the job the latter put the ball wide.

The Europeans were not often in their opponent's area. One movement however, ended in a goal, Hill scoring. Hill, incidentally, tallied all the points for the Europeans.

The teams were:—

EUROPEANS:—Edden (Bombay Gymkhana); James (Welch Regiment) and Cowley (Heavy Battery); Humphries (Y. M. C. A.), Preston (Bombay Gymkhana) and Comyn (Anti-Aircraft Battery); Moore, Lindford, Stone, Hill and Langton (All of the Welch Regiment.)

THE REST:—Cohen (Caltex), Elliot (B. E. S. T.) and Almeida (Y. M. C. A.); Dadoo (B. B. & C. I.), V. Thompson (Y. M. C. A.) and S. Thompson (Y. M. C. A.); Woodcock (B. B. & C. I.), Gardner (B. E. S. T.), Adams (Police), McHugh (B. B. & C. I.) and Raffael (Caltex).

TO-DAY'S GAME

Cooperage—5-45 p.m.—Muslims vs. Hindus.

I. F. A. SHIELD

Delhi Enter Third Round

CALCUTTA, July 29.

In the second round of the I. F. A. Shield Tournament the Delhi F. A. beat to-day the Khulna Town Club by three goals to nil in the second replay.—A. P.

Felixstowe For India

Lord Derby has parted with another good horse for export to India. Felixstowe has been purchased for an Indian owner, whose name is not divulged. Felixstowe is a three-year-old colt by Orwell out of Leisure Hour. He had five outings last year.

Findon Stakes, Goodwood, (5 furlongs), second, beaten by Credentia (8-11) by a short head. Felixstowe carried 9-0. The timing of the race was 1 minute 1 second.

Convival Plate, York, (5 furlongs), first, beat Prince Tetra (8-11), Snow Storm (8-7) and Dewon Lass (8-4), carrying 8-7. He covered the distance in 1 minute 0 2/5 second.

In his other three races Felixstowe was unplaced.

Madras Team For Rovers Cup

MADRAS, July 29.

The following players have been selected to represent the Madras Football Association team in the Rovers Cup Football Tournament which commences at Bombay on August 7:—

GOAL: Sivaswami (M. and S. M. Railway), and Hussain (Sporting Union); BACKS: Kazim and Sriramanujulu (Minerva); HALF BACKS: Sithapathi Rao, Yesu and Jagannathan (Tilak-Moti) and Arnold (Minerva); FORWARDS: Mahemai (Tilak-Moti), Humphreys (Minerva), V. N. Visweswara Rao (Pachaiyappas), Kothandapani (B. and C. Mills) and Dhanakoti (Pachaiyappas).

Two more players will be selected later on.—A. P.

Heaviest Showers In Delhi

NEW DELHI: July 29.

Delhi experienced one of the heaviest showers to-day and had since 4 O'clock in the morning over 3 inches of rain. All the lowlying places are flooded and vehicular traffic is held up in many places in the City. A number of trees were uprooted.—A. P.

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I am a little muddled about this War Fund for which such appeals as 10 per cent. of your card winnings are being canvassed from members of clubs. The point is that this War Fund is to go towards the raising of funds to equip this country with a squadron of fighting planes. Surely an urgent need like this could be immediately satisfied by a grant from the Government of India—a little more on the super-tax, an extra anna on petrol, and something on luxuries. When there is such urgent need for a unit of fighting planes for the defence of a country of 370 million people, I feel a little ashamed to think it has to depend at all on individual contributions. Again and again I repeat, that if the Government need money, let it "sell the air" and by having sponsored programmes, bring an added revenue which it so urgently needs. Surely the defence of the country would be sufficient to justify a departure from the Government's policy of keeping the radio free from advertising.

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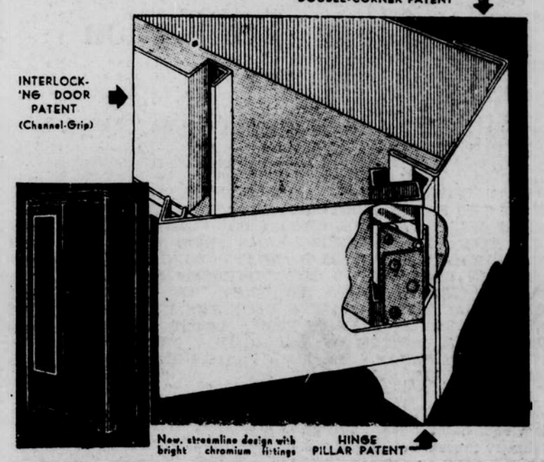

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ON THE AIR

TUESDAY, JULY 30.

Bombay I—Programme

244 metres (1,231 kc/s)

7-30 a.m. News in Marathi. 7-40 News in Gujarati. 7-50 Instrumental duets. 8 Keep fit! 8-10 Amir Bai Karnataki. 8-30 H. Moradabadi. 8-40 News in Hindustani 8-50 News in English. 9 Vinayakrao Patwardhan. 12-30 p.m. A musical variety. 12-57 News in Hindustani. 1 Ramanie Tatra Deviah. 1-10 Instrumental music. 1-20 Mutual understanding. 1-30 News in English. 1-37 Do you know madame? 1-40 Lunch hour music. 4-15 Musical prelude. 4-20 World history. 4-35 Selected Indian ragas. 4-45 Sports. 5 Ghulam Rasool. 5-12 Master Ratnakant. 5-25 News in Marathi. 5-30 News in Gujarati. 5-35 Songs from Main Hari. 5-50 A Sindhi song. 6 News in English. 6-5 News in Hindustani. 6-10 Amir Bai Karnataki. 6-30 Vinayakrao Patwardhan. 7 A topical talk. 7-15 Listeners' letters. 7-30 A musical mixture. 7-45 The Bombay Radio Orchestra. 7-55 News in Marathi. 8-10 News in Gujarati. 8-25 To-morrow. 8-30 The month in science. 8-45 Hari Sumaran. 8-55 Talk of the town. 9 News in Hindustani. 9-20 News in English. 9-30 B B C News relay. 9-50 Chamber music.

Bombay II—Programme

41.44 metres (7,240 kc/s)

7-30 a.m. Shyamala Mazgaonker. 7-50 to 8-40 As in Bombay 1. 8-40 Picked from the pictures. 8-55 Naradker. 9 to 9-30 As in Bombay 1.

31.4 metres (9,550 kc/s)

12-30 to 12-57 p.m. As in Bombay 1. 12-57 Suresh Babu. 1 to 1-30 As in Bombay 1. 1-30 Musical interlude. 1-35 to 2-30 As in Bombay 1.

Delhi I—Programme

338.6 metres (886 kc/s)

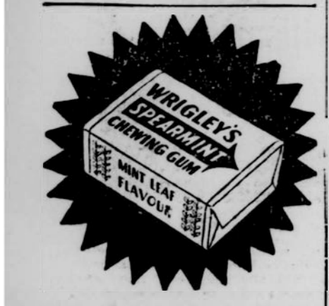
5 p.m. Delhi Radio Orchestra. 5-5 Lakshman Prasad. 5-30 Faqiruddin. 5-50 Thumri Tilang on the sarangi. 6-15 Geet aur bhajan. 7 Raftar-i-Zamana. 7-15 Ghulam Fareed. 7-30 Zohra Jan. 7-45 Ustad Hafiz Ali Khan. 8 Duets. 8-15 For villagers only. 10-5 Lakshman Prasad 10-20 Faqiruddin. 10-30 Persian music.

Calcutta I—Programme

370.4 metres (810 kc/s)

(Add 24 minutes to all timings for Calcutta time.)

5 p.m. Football relay. 6-5 For the children. 6-45 Calcutta Radio Orchestra. 7-30 Jharna Dey. 8 Juddhe Shanti. 8-20 Amiya Roy. 9 Bijoy Lal Mukerjee. 10 Harimati.



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Patna To Have Radio Station

PATNA, July 29.

The "United Press" understands that Patna will soon have a Radio Broadcasting Station. The necessary sanction has been accorded by the Central as well as the Provincial Government, and arrangements are complete. The construction of the buildings in that connection will be taken up and, it is expected, will be complete by April next year.—United Press.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE
G. I. P. Railway

	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Calcutta Mail (via Chheoki)	9-35	20-15
Madras Mail	6-00	22-00
Peshawar-Lucknow (Express)	5-15	22-45
Calcutta Mail (via Nagpur)	9-05	18-05
Madras Express	10-15	14-30
Poona Mail	10-30	17-30
Punjab Mail	12-30	17-40
Nagpur Express	15-00	21-00
Poona Fast Passenger	16-50	11-50
Poona Express	19-32	8-05

B. B. and C. I. Railway
ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM BOMBAY CENTRAL FROM JULY 1.)

	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Ahmedabad Passenger	6-38	13-50
Delhi Express	6-00	22-15
Kathiawar Mail	6-46	21-30
Gujarat Mail	7-25	22-00
Frontier Mail	8-15	21-15
	*(Mon.)	(Sat.)
The Flying Ranee Surat	9-48	15-10
The Flying Ranee, Surat (Except Monday)	10-58	
The Flying Ranee, Surat (Except Saturday)		18-05
Ahmedabad Passenger	14-15	22-30
Kathiawar Express	18-45	5-45
Baroda Passenger	20-37	9-0

*If Monday is a Bank Holiday, this train will run on Tuesday.

Directors Of Sugar Syndicate Wait On U. P. Governor

ALLAHABAD, July 29

A deputation of the Board of Directors of the Indian Sugar Syndicate waited on H. E. Sir Maurice Hallett, the Governor of the U. P. in the Government House here yesterday. The deputation consisted among others of Mr. Karim Chand Thapar, Lala Sri Ram and Mr. D. R. Narang.

The discussions lasted till late in the evening and among those present were Mr. P. W. Marsh, Advisor to the Governor, Mr. R. C. Srivastava, representing the United Provinces, Mr. S. M. Dhar representing the Bihar Government and Sir Alan Lloyd, Commerce Secretary to the Government of India.

The deputation, it is stated, represented that the recent withdrawal of recognition of the Sugar Syndicate by the U. P. and Bihar Governments had led to some doubt about the authority of the Syndicate to control sugar prices. This they felt would lead to unhealthy competition and underselling. The deputationists urged that the withdrawal of recognition should be rescinded.

A suggestion, it is believed, was also made by the deputation that the U. P. and Behar Governments should take some steps under the Defence of India Rules to stabilise the Sugar Industry by measures such as control of prices, production and the stopping of speculation. The deputation also requested that the Government should forego the excise duty of one rupee per maund to enable stocks being cleared at reduced rates. It is understood that His Excellency gave a very sympathetic hearing to these representations and the deputation hope that Government will take favourable steps especially with regard to re-recognition of the syndicate.—A.P.

LINSEED & WHEAT

Bombay, July 29

The local linseed and wheat market was quietly steady in sympathy with cotton market. Business was restricted and prices fluctuated within a narrow range. Quotations were as under:—

Linseed September	Rs.	5 7 0
Linseed May		6 1 3
Wheat September		4 0 6
Wheat January		4 3 3
Wheat May		4 5 0

BOMBAY YARN QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, July 29

Yarn No. 6 1/2s. August 122 October 124 December 126

Yarn No. 10 1/2s. August 138 October 141 December 143

Yarn No. 20 1/2s. August 166 1/2 October 171 December 174

Yarn No. 40s. August 240 October 242 December 244

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BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, July 29

In response to a decline of 4 points in New York cotton futures on Saturday, the local market was expected to open to-day at Rs 201 for Broach A/M delivery but the market opened easy at Rs. 197/8 but remained buying improved prices to Rs. 201. At this level there appeared some realising and prices declined to Rs. 199. The recent improvement in the local market being too rapid and as expected, the market is now under a reactionary influence. It is true that there are many waiting to buy at lower levels and this potential buying is likely to check any undue decline.

Professional operators are taking more interest in the market and we likely to have increased activity and rapid price fluctuations, we prefer to confine purchases on all declines.

Liverpool market opened at a decline of 2 points and the local market after declining to Rs. 198/8 rallied to Rs. 199. The market was depressed to Rs. 197/8 on selling influenced by 5 points down at Liverpool. The market again improved and closed at 5 p.m. as under:—

F G M G BROACH:—		
July/August	Rs.	183 4 0
April/May		198 12 0
FINE M G OOMRA:—		
December/January		176 4 0
F G M G BENGAL:—		
December/January		142 12 0

INDIAN COTTON FIGURES.

Bombay, July 29

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY

In full-pressed bales	27-7-40	This year	Since 1st Sept Last year
Khandesh		55,579	38,758
Central India		109,361	225,209
Barsi and Nagar		114,118	93,657
Hyderabad/Gaorani		47,970	4,474
Berar		318,618	162,718
Central Provinces		76,962	38,218
Total Oomras		722,608	563,034
Dholeras		89,297	276,877
N W Provinces		26,079	9,858
Rajputana		35,228	79,757
Sind-Punjab	96	369,765	332,574
Broach		408,546	414,944
Coompta and Dharwar	518	50,588	149,906
Westerns-Northerns	203	36,456	96,265
Cocoanada		86	98
Tinnevelly and Cambodia		1,392	2,637
Total	818	1,740,045	1,925,950
Arrived by road to 25th July 1940		339,387	

READY COTTON QUOTATIONS

Bombay, July 29

Bengal Fine	146-49
C. P. 1	184-87
C. P. 2	176-77
Berar	175-77
Khandesh	173-75
Jalna/Sailu	173-75
Ahmednagar	173-75
Broach	185-87

COTTON ROOM RATES

Bombay, July 29

	Extra Sprfine	Sup	Fine	FG	Good
M G Bengal U P		155	152	149	146
M G Punjab		155	152	149	146
M G Rajputana		162	159	156	153
M G Oomra No. 3	184	182	179	176	
M G C P No. 1	196	194	191	188	
M G C P No. 2	188	186	183	180	
M G Broach No. 2		191	189	187	184
M G Punjab-American		222	220	218	215
M G Surat		243	241	239	235
M G Rajpipla		237	235	233	230
M G Navsari		250	248	246	243

AMERICAN COTTON FIGURES

	1939-40	1938-39
F P Bales		
Receipts to date 27-7-40	7764000	4136000
Receipts yesterday 27-7-40	3000	11000
Export to date 27-7-40	6432000	3565000
Stock at Ports 26-7-40	2459000	2029000
Stock at Interior Towns 26-7-40	1976000	2432000
Stock at Liverpool 26-7-40	.....	658000
Visible Supply 26-7-40	.....	4871000
Quantity in sight 26-7-40	13859000	9725000
Quantity out of sight 26-7-40	.....	10489000

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVED

Bombay: July 29.

N Y Kaisha's Japanese s s Hakozaki Maru of 6310 reg tons Capt H Aizawa arrived from Yokohama with passengers and general cargo.

N Y Kaisha's Japanese s s Turuga Maru of 4281 reg tons Capt M Mori arrived from Yokohama with general cargo.

Volkart Bros Dutch s s Bonhfontein of 4293 reg tons Capt A T L Dolmans arrived from Vancouver with general cargo.

Eastern S N Coy's Norwegian s s Odda of 470 reg tons Capt J Hansen arrived from Cochin with general cargo.

N Y Kaisha's Japanese s s Hakusan Maru of 6271 reg tons Capt T Tukahata arrived from Liverpool with passengers and general cargo.

SAILED

B S N Coy's Norwegian s s Henrik of 761 reg tons Capt J Sorlie sailed for Karachi with general cargo.

EXPORTS

Bombay: July 29.

15 bls cotton pcegoods Magaulal Bros, 120 tons old iron scrap C Manilal Ltd, 251 tons old iron scrap Faiz and Co, 155 tons old iron scrap M G A Hussain and Co, 475 tons old iron scrap Nissho Co Ltd; 150 bls raw cotton Volkart Bros, 2600 bls raw cotton T M kaisha Ltd, 42 bls raw wool K Esmail, 51 bls cotton pcegoods E D Sassoon and Co Ltd, 10 bls cotton pcsgoods K Virji and Co, 30 bls cotton grey yarn H Abdeali, 200 tons old iron scrap J M Sayani, 13 bls cotton twist waste G M Vyas and Co, 25 bls cotton twist waste Shantilal and Co, 50 drums linseed oil Lee and Muirhead, 34 bls cotton grey yarn S G Shah and Co, 100 bls raw cotton M Amersel and Co, 100 bls raw cotton A Khimji and Co, 100 bls raw cotton Podar Trading Co Ltd, 400 bls raw cotton Viram Ladha and Co, 200 bls raw cotton Kotak and Co, 50 bls raw cotton G Dossa and Co, 100 bls raw cotton N Futehally and Co, 80 bags cummin seed E Mavji and Co, 100 bls raw cotton K M Nathoo, 2560 bags grdnut kernal B Pahladrai, 500 bls raw cotton G K Kaisha Ltd, 60 bls cotton grey yarn K Virji and Co, 15 bls cotton pcegoods P K Ashar and Co, 10 bls cotton pcegoods Aroon and Co, 375 bls raw cotton B Cursondas and Co, 180 bags cellery seeds E Mavji and Co.

IMPORTS

Bombay: July 29.

122 casks earth colours, 100 pkgs corrugated strawboard, 57 bdls bars, 50 coils hoop iron, 6057 rolls steel hoops, 96 bdls expanded metal, 2408 bdls M S hoops, 78 c/s milk powder, 140 c/s tacks, 510 coils black enamelled iron wire, 12000 bdls hoops, 590 c/s chicory, 48 pkgs bolts and nuts, 196 bls printing paper, 400 bags coppered annealed wire ties, 184 c/s iron wood screws, 50 c/s zinc dust, 1232 c/s wire nails, 77 D/bags iron rivets, 50 c/s wrapping paper, 93 bls springs, 45 bdls M S turned and polished shaftings, 293 loose M S turned and polished shaftings, 74 dms aniline dyes, 120 c/s nails, 240 coils copperised iron wire, 160 c/s cond milk, 310 bls strawboards, 35 c/s panel pins, 50 c/s shoe nails, 692 pkgs M S rivets, 204 rolls steel wire, 50 c/s rivets, 575 drums chemicals, 75 c/s fine blued square cut tacks, 230 D/bags mill accessories, 2550 c/s beer, 50 c/s evaporated milk, 120 c/s sheet glass, 50 c/s cheese, 101 pkgs elect wires and cables, 894 pcs zinc plates, 44 c/s silvered plate glass, 85 c/s window glass, 102 c/s safety cartridges, 193 bls paper, 45 c/s steel rivets.

New York Market Awaits Private Cotton Crop Ideas

FAVOURABLE WEATHER PROMISES INCREASE IN YIELD

Scattered Hedging And Long Liquidation

Bombay, July 29

On Saturday, the New York cotton market was anxiously awaiting private crop ideas. Recent favourable weather over the United States Cotton Belt is expected to show some increase in the Yield. Thus private crop estimates are likely to range from 11 1/2 to 12 1/4 million bales.

NEW YORK MARKET

The New York cotton market opened quiet and there was small hedging against the growing American cotton crop and scattered realising. There was small trade buying at the decline.

Although it is generally believed that a higher would be given on the next crop but there are no definite indications. Outside growths are selling relatively at a cheaper level and naturally many export markets would be lost. Thus the export outlook is obscure and the general feeling is hesitant.

At the opening October was quoted one point down at 9.42 but improved 2 points at 9.44 which was the highest level. Later on there was increased selling and October declined to 9.39 which was the lowest level. The session closed at a net decline of 3 to 5 points. Spot cotton price was unchanged at 10.30c. per lb.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET

The New Orleans cotton futures market was also quiet with scattered selling and closed at a decline of 2 to 4 points. Spot cotton closed unchanged at 10.30c. per lb.

Liverpool market was closed on Saturday.

NEW YORK WEEKLY REVIEW

The market was dull and featureless with the volume so far in July the lowest for a quarter of a century. Prices advanced on a little buying based on the failure of favourable weather to bring out more than scattered selling and talk of loan rate as much as sixty-five points higher than at present, coupled with scarcity of contracts. Moreover sentiment was aided by the report from Manchester that five million pounds of yarn from American cotton will be required to fulfil the big deal from Java.

While increased domestic consumption is forecast for the coming season, it is believed that exports will not exceed three million.

With only 80,000 bales repossessed from Government Loan during June, Government holdings on June 30 were 8,867,000 compared with 11,045,000 bales at the beginning of the season.

Cotton goods business was inadequate to furnish a true test of values. Meanwhile expectations of a higher loan rate is a stabilising influence but continued dullness is indicated pending its actual announcement.

PRIVATE CABLES—

New York October highest (10-23 a.m.) ..... 9.44+01

New York October lowest (12 noon) ..... 9.39—04

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co Ltd. have received to-day the following cable information from their foreign friends:

New York: Cessation Clayton selling causes market advance easily whenever trade buys. Volume light. Rumours but no substantiation higher loan. Weather generally improved.

Messrs. Patel Brothers have received the following cable from Liverpool:

Fairly certain no subsidy. High loan probable. Consider Liverpool distants attractive purchases, owing strengthening statistics. Better undertone.

TEJI MANDI PREMIUMS

Bombay, July 29

Wheat September	Rs.	0 3 6
Wheat January		0 8 0
Wheat May		0 11 0
Groundnut August		1 0 0
Groundnut February		4 12 0
Castorseed September		3 8 0
Cottonseed September		1 0 0
Silver Shrawan		1 13 0
Gold Shrawan		0 12 0

BOMBAY METALS

Bombay, July 29

Yellow metal sheets	Rs.	65 0 0
Copper sheets	Rs.	66 0 0

Tone:—Steady

Bankers' Clearing

Cheques delivered through the Bombay Bankers' Clearing House during the week ending 26-7-1940 were as under:—

Number of cheques—58,707

Amount of cheques—Rs. 11,25,48,542/9/8.

INDO-AFGHAN TRADE TO BE INTENSIFIED

KABUL, Saturday

Following the difficulties on account of war in obtaining imported goods from Germany and other parts of Europe and supplying export commodities in their place, efforts are now being made by the Afghan authorities to find out in what way commercial intercourse may be intensified with India.

Agricultural and pastoral produce of the very best quality are produced here which it is hoped may be exchanged in place of industrial products which India can produce at the moment.

It is understood that the authorities in Delhi have shown their willingness to cooperate.

At present Afghanistan already obtains certain facilities both regarding exports and imports from India. The transit of Afghan imports across India is usually made free of duty while at the same time Afghan exports over the land frontier are also exempted from tax.

—Islamic Press.

SUDAN COTTON

KHARTOUN, Saturday.

That the world economic conditions do not justify the extension of cotton plantations in Sudan is the view of the agricultural authorities here given in reply to the demands that the potential resources of Sudan as a cotton growing country may be exploited to the full in order to keep British trade more and more within the Empire.

According to the authorities the British manufacturers do not require any additional quantities of the Sakal type of cotton generally produced in Sudan although they may like to have increase in Empire production of American varieties.

In this connection it may be mentioned that the greater part of the Empire cotton is already of this type, Sind and Punjab alone providing over one million bales per year.

—Islamic Press.

Cotton-Jute Fabrics Ordered From India

SIMLA, July 29.

The "United Press" learns that orders for thirty lakhs yards of cotton-jute union fabric have been placed in India by His Majesty's Government.

Cotton-jute union fabric is a substitute for flax which is being used increasingly for defence and civil purpose.—United Press.

More Members For Indian Institute Of Bankers

The 13th Annual Report of the Indian Institute of Bankers, states, 'inter alia':—

During the year under review 679 new members were admitted to the Institute. The number of entries for the Associate Examination of the Institute in 1939 was 1,455 as against 1,439 in 1936. Of those who sat, 86 gained the Associate Certificate and 177 candidates completed Part I of the Examination.

The Reading Room and Reference Library continue to be well patronised. A number of new editions of the books prescribed for the Associate Examination were purchased during the year. The Lending Library was fully availed of by examination candidates and the number of books issued during the session was up to the average of recent years.

During the year many lectures and study classes were organised by the various centres of the Institute.

SUGAR MARKET

Bombay, July 29

Fine White Java sugar per cwt:—

Shipment September Rs. 8-6-0 F B H

Indian sugars ready:—

Ready (ordinary) Rs. 15-0-0 to 15-4-0

Ready (large grain) Rs. 15-5-0 to 16-0-0

Tone:—Steady.

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, July 29

As anticipated the local silver market ruled quiet to-day with increased selling. All foreign markets were closed on Saturday and the free sterling was quoted at 3.85. It generally anticipated that the free sterling would be abolished.

During the last week there was some speculative buying which pushed up silver prices to Rs. 63/14 but now under increased selling prices have declined to Rs. 62/14. There may be small rally of a temporary duration but it appears that there is no demand for actual silver. As a matter of fact up-country is not likely to improve much as interior markets have bought more than normal requirements. The improvement in commodity prices is attracting purchases of silver but gold remains neglected. Quotations were as under:—

GOLD

Ready	Rs.	41 11 9
Shrawan		41 11 3

SILVER

Ready		63 1 0
Shrawan		62 15 0

DIRECTORS OF THE YARN EXCHANGE

The following Directors were re-elected for the new year 1940-41 to the Bombay Yarn Exchange Ltd:—

Seth Haridas Madhavdas J.P.; Seth Ramdeoji A. Podar; Seth Kantilal Nahalchand; Seth Maganlal Parbhudas; Seth Sankalchand G. Shah; Seth Chhotalal C. Bhalakia; Seth Gordhandas Jadavji; Seth Ambalal Shamaldas; Seth Nensibhai Narandas; Seth Gordhandas P. Sonawala.

Two Sided Influence Of War On Yarn Market

Seth Haridas Madhavdas J.P., Chairman, of the Bombay Yarn Exchange at the third annual general meeting said:—

A war or any political upheaval exerts on the general economic conditions influence of a two-fold character. Firstly in so far as the state of emergency leads to an intensification of a programme of rearmament and the consequent expenditure of large sums of money on acquiring supplies, it gives a great stimulus to industrial production in other countries and also pushes up prices. On the other hand international tension also induces a lack of confidence in the present and apprehensions as regards the future. During the short period that the war has been in existence, we have felt the effects of both the above sets of influences. The first re-action was one of buoyancy and promise for the future, the subsequent developments have turned the tables, and we are experiencing the reverse set of conditions under which it may be said that trade and commerce have almost come to a standstill.

From the very beginning of the war, a system of rigorous control has been instituted in the conditions governing our trade and commerce, particularly seaborne trade.

The extension of the area of belligerency by the subsequent developments connected with the war has led to a further contraction in our export markets. This will have to be made good by finding new markets for our staple products and for our manufactured wares and by increasing our share in the existing market. The Government of India have appointed an Export Advisory Council to pursue this task. It is necessary that the claims of the Indian Yarn Industry for an adequate export market should be stressed on the attention of this Council. We are almost reaching the saturation point in the home market and unless expanding export markets are made available the future of production of yarn in the country will receive a setback.

EXCESS PROFIT TAX

India has also to meet her share of increase in her expenditure on account of war. The Excess Profits Tax has been imposed as a new source of income to meet this increased expenditure. The tax as it was originally proposed was very drastic both in its incidence and the manner and method of its levy, the chief defect being the determination of the standard with which to measure the excess. Fortunately as a result of the opposition and protest organised all over the country by commercial bodies including your Exchange, the original provisions were considerably whittled down and the tax was made less burdensome. Thus from a bill which by its original provisions intended to bring in to the Exchequer over 10 crores, the burden of the levy was reduced to one of about 3 crores.

BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE CLOSED

Bombay, July 29

The share bazar was officially open for one hour owing to the death of a member of the Exchange, but no business was done and the market remained unofficially closed.

On Saturday Wall Street was very quiet but tilted upwards in late dullness under the leadership of Steels. Meanwhile European uncertainties were the chief handicap with no signs of any break from the current rut. U. S. Steel shares improved 3/8 at 51 and Anaconda Copper Mining shares gained 1/8 at 18 3/8 dollars.

Recently the local market is showing signs of returning confidence but a fairly large number of shares are kept back from delivery against sales in the forward market. Most of the holdings are in the form of budlee and while it is true that these Budlewalas may be finding little difficulty but it must not be forgotten that they invest their funds in hopes of getting bumper interest. Thus they have also to wait for some time in the general interest of the whole market. If Budleewalas are allowed to tender their holdings, naturally it will have depressing effect as it is roughly believed that over rupees five crores are locked up. But as long as the market trying to restore normal condition, it becomes the duty of all those who have interest in the share bazar should offer effective co-operation. The Bombay Stock Exchange has enough experience of such crisis in past years and they have always overcome. Thus the present difficulty will be overcome in due course.

GROUNDNUTS & SEEDS

Bombay, July 29

Castorseeds September—		
Opening	Rs.	39 14 0
Highest		40 0 0
Lowest		39 4 0
Closing		39 6 0
Groundnuts August—		
Opening		30 14 0
Highest		31 1 6
Lowest		30 7 6
Closing		30 9 0
Cottonseeds September—		
Opening		26 5 0
Highest		26 5 0
Lowest		26 1 0
Closing		26 2 0
Groundnuts February—		
Opening		33 0 0
Highest		33 5 0
Highest		32 12 6
Closing		32 13 9
Castorseeds May—		
Opening		40 14 0
Highest		41 0 0
Lowest		40 8 0
Closing		40 8 0
Cottonseeds May—		
Opening		23 5 6
Highest		23 10 3
Lowest		23 5 6
Closing		23 6 6

COTTON PARITY

Broach J/A below Liverpool July 323 penny points at exchange 1/6

Broach A/M below Liverpool May 215 penny points at exchange 1/6

Broach A/M below New York May 119 cent points at exchange 331

HIGH AND LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, July 27

Broach J/A highest 191 lowest 186 closing 187 1/4

Broach A/M highest 205 lowest 200 1/2 closing 202 1/4

Oomra D/J highest 182 lowest 178 closing 179 1/2

Bengal D/J highest 146 1/2 lowest 143 1/2 closing 145 1/2

Bombay Cotton Statistics

Receipts from 1st Sept 1939 to 25th July 1940 (by rail and sea)	1,739,432
Receipts from 1st Sept 1939 to 25th July 1940 (by road—estimated)	339,387
	2,078,819
Same time last year	2,687,066

Exports from 1st Sept 1939 to 27th July 1940

	1939-40	1938-39
United Kingdom	—	74,152
Continent	—	232,809
China	—	417,942
Japan	—	816,643
Coast Ports	—	33,455
U. S. A.	—	426
		1,575,427

Figures of exports, stocks and mill consumption and also of imports of foreign cotton into Bombay are not available.

KARACHI STATISTICS

Total receipts of cotton from up-country from 1st Sept. 1939 to 18th July 1940 1,430,279

Same time last year 1,730,978

HAPUR WHEAT MARKET

(From Our Correspondent)

Hapur, July 26

The local wheat market remained very erratic during the first half of the week under review but the undertone gradually became quite steady in the later and prices have closed a shade dearer as compared to the last week end. The early reaction was due to the fact that rains fell over a wide area in the Punjab and in most of the U. P. districts which set in motion in bhadoi crop sowing operations. This was construed a bearish factor particularly in view of the fact that there was little in the oversea advises to encourage hope. This tendency was soon arrested owing to the good buyings in the Punjab markets particularly on behalf of the Bombay Calcutta and eastern millers. At Karachi a well-known exporting firm showed some interest. Despite good spot demand and a rise in prices arrivals did not record any appreciable increase and the stock in the up-country centres as also in the ports remain at poor figures. All these factors gave strength to the market. There was considerable nervousness at some stages owing to the growing uncertainties of the war developments but the latest trend in the market in anything but bearish. Locally there have been so far very deficient rains. Standing crops are suffering and the next crop operations held up. Rains are badly wanted.

Bhadon had closed here at 3/1/9 last Friday. On Saturday the market opened at 3/2/3/4 and at one stage having fallen to 3/1/1 1/2 closed at 3/1/6 3/4. On Sunday the market witnessed a definitely reactionary tendency which continued till Monday afternoon when the lowest for the week touched 3/0/6 3/4. On Tuesday the market opened at 3/1/3 3/4 and having fallen to 3/1/2 1/4 began to rise sharply. It rose upto 3/2/3 and closed finally at 3/1/10. Since then the market has moved between 3/1/9 and 3/2/3. Yesterday it had closed at 3/1/10 1/2. It again opened to-day at the same level, touched 3/1/8 1/4 but is presently quoted at 3/2/1 1/2. Ready khattis are quoted 2 pies higher.

Arrivals averaged 600 to 800 maunds daily and the present stock is put at 760 khattis. Some khattis were exported during the week.

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

Bombay, July 29

The market was inclined to be easier today with Steel shares quoting slightly lower. Tata Deferreds opened at 1840 and, after a slight decline to 1830, recovered to 1836 but dropped again to 1825. In the latter half of the session. The Ordinaries opened at 351 and receded to 349 but later met with support up to 351 and closed at 348-8. Activity in Textiles continued dormant. Bombay Dyeings were transacted at 910. Indian Irons were fractionally easier at 26-8.

The following are the important quotations on the Exchange, to-day:—

Tata Deferreds (1847-8) 1840 1830 1835 1825

Tata Ordinaries (352-8) 351 349 351 349-8 350 349-8

Tata Ordinary 349/8; Tata Deferred 1825; Indian Iron 26/8; Bombay Dyeing 910; Century 255; Central India 252/8, Kohinoor 340; Associated Cement 113; Bombay Burma 597/8; Scindia Steam 19/8; Tata Hydro 160/10; Reserve Bank 100/8; Imperial Bank F P 1445; Central Bank 34/12; Bank of India 153/8; 3 1/2 per cent Paper 90.

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, July 29

B. C. RATES—

T T D D 1/5 15/16 to 29th January

LONDON—

Bank's selling T T D D 1/5 31/32 to 29th January

Bank's buying T T 1/6 1/32 to 29th January

Bank's buying D D 1/6 3/32 One month

Bank's buying 3 months 1/6 7/32 One month.

Bank's buying 3 months 1/6 1/4 Two months.

NEW YORK:—

Banks selling T T 333 1/2

Bank's buying T T 330

Bank's buying D D 328

PARIS:—

Bank's selling T T not quoted

Bank's buying T T not quoted

JAPAN:—

Bank's selling T T 85 nominal

Bank's buying T T 80 nominal

Bank's buying 60 days 79 1/4 nominal

JAVA—

Bank's selling D D 55 3/4

HONGKONG—

Banks selling D D 84 3/4

SHANGHAI—

Bank's selling D D 24

SINGAPORE—

Banks selling D D 157 3/4

CROSS RATES—

Hongkong London 1/3 1/32 29th inst.

Shanghai London 0/4 1/8 29th inst.

New York London 3.85 27th inst.

London Java 7.58/62 27th inst.

London New York 4.62 1/2—3 1/2 27th inst.

London Switzerland 17.70/80 27th inst.

London Stockholm 16.85/95 27th inst.

London Japan 1/3 1/8 27th inst.

Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Quiet.

Gold £8/8/0 26th inst.

Gold £8 8 0 27th inst.

Silver London Ready 22 3/8 26th inst.

Silver London Ready 22 3/8 27th inst.

Silver London Forward 22 1/16 26th inst.

Silver London Forward 22 1/16 27th inst.

Silver New York Ready 34 3/4 26th inst.

Silver New York Ready 34 3/4 27th inst.

London Discounts 3 months 1 1/16 per cent 26th inst.

London Discounts 3 months 1 1/16 per cent 27th inst.

London Discounts 6 months 1 1/4 per cent 26th inst.

London Discounts 6 months 1 1/4 per cent 27th inst.

Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent.

Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.

Money:—Call 1/2 per cent.

3 months 1 1/4 per cent.

6 months 1 1/2 per cent.

Tone:—Very easy

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, July 27

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report showing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dollars.
Amer For Pow 7 per cent Pfd	14 5/8
Amer For Pow 5 per cent Debs	4 1/4
Amer Pow and Lt 7 per cent Pfd	41 1/2
Electric Pow and Lt 7 per cent Pfd	31
Electric Bond and Share Common	5 1/2
Electric Bond and Share dol 5 Pfd	61
Columbia Gas and Electric	5 1/2
Amer Tel and Tel	159 1/2
Sun Life of Canada	175
Western Union Telegraph	17
Int Tel and Tel 1952 Debs	28 1/2
New York Central R R	11 1/2
Great Northern Preferred	22 3/8
Union Pacific	81 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	37 1/4
Australia b per cent 1955	47
United States Steel	61
Bethlehem Steel	76
National Steel	58 1/2
Crucible Steel	29 1/2
Alleghany Ludlum Steel	21 1/2
Republic Steel	17 1/2
Int Nickel of Canada	23 1/8
Anaconda Copper Mining	18 3/4
Chrysler Motors	64 1/2
General Motors	44
Socony	8 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	34 1/2
Texas Corporation	39 1/4
National City Bank of New York	24 1/4
Standard Brands	6
Consolidated Oil	6 1/4

Turnover 60,000 shares.

EGYPT'S FOREIGN TRADE

CAIRO, Saturday

That there was no very considerable change either in the volume or direction of the Egyptian foreign trade is revealed from statistics which have just been released for the year 1939.

According to thes figures, the United Kingdom continued to take on the average one-third of Egypt's total exports in 1939. It also supplied about one-quarter of this country's imports.

During the same year, France stood second as an importer of Egyptian goods and Japan, third. On the other hand the United States constituted the second largest exporter of goods to Egypt and was followed by Germany.

The total volume of exports in 1939 was £E 32.7 million as compared with £P 28.6 million during the previous year. The total imports on the other hand amounted to £E 34 million as against over £E 36 million in 1938. The country's adverse balance of trade was thus reduced £E 1.32 million as against over £E 8 million.

PEPPER & GINGER PRICES

Bombay, July 29

(The Pepper and Ginger Merchants' Association, Ltd.).

Pepper ready Alleppey per candy	Rs.	82 0 0
Pepper Bhadarwa Sud 15 per candy		83 0 0
Pepper Maha Sud 12 per candy		87 0 0

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Hitler Has Something Big Up His Sleeves

Russo-German Conflict Coming To A Head

Nazi Plans For Domination In Balkans To Balance Russia's Power In Baltic

LONDON, (By Cable)

The "Daily Herald" Diplomatic Correspondent writes:

Hitler is up to something in Eastern Europe. He has summoned to Salzburg the Rumanian Premier and Foreign Minister and the Bulgarian Premier and Foreign Minister. They have all obeyed the summons.

There are reliable reports of German troop movements eastward as though forces are being marshalled to back up some diplomatic moves.

All this follows with perhaps significant speed on Russia's move in the Baltic States.

Whether or not Germany agreed to it, the merging of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania into the Soviet Union cannot have been regarded with enthusiasm in Berlin.

The sending for M. Gigurtu and M. Manoilescu from Rumania and M. Filoff and M. Popoff from Bulgaria looks like a step to counter possible Russian moves in the Balkans.

Whatever the relations between Berlin and Moscow, Germany very badly needs that all the Balkan countries should be in her "Lebensraum."

QUIET STRUGGLE

She simply cannot afford to let any of them pass on quietly into Russia's sphere of influence.

She wants economic control of these lands for the long struggle with Britain which Hitler now sees as a dangerous possibility.

Whatever she may have promised the Russians, she is now trying, because she must, to squeeze and edge them out of the Balkans. A quiet struggle is developing. We may expect counter-moves by Moscow.

As to the Baltic States, it is all finished except for formalities. Three States are going to become Member Republics of the Soviet Union.

Their three Ministers in London called at the Foreign Office to ask that the decisions of their Governments and Parliaments should be regarded as made under duress and, therefore, as invalid.

The memoranda which they handed in were courteously received.

But since the Ministers acted on their own initiative and without instructions, these memoranda can only be regarded as the expression of their personal opinions.

The practical problem now is that of recognising the new Union—withdrawing our legations from the three countries which have now become, by their own acts, parts of a greater country and whose foreign relations have now become a matter for the Moscow Foreign Office.

NECESSARY ADJUSTMENTS

It may be taken that the necessary adjustments will be made in friendly consultation with the Soviet Government through the Soviet Embassy here and the British Embassy in Moscow.

Yesterday's other diplomatic development concerning Middle and Eastern Europe was the announcement of the British Government's decision to recognise the provisional government established by the Czechoslovak National Committee to function in this country.

The Committee was recognised last December. Now, with new blood brought in, it is recognised as a Provisional Government—to which, when the war is over, the reorganisation of the Czechoslovak State will be entrusted.

With this Provisional Government, says the official announcement, the British Government will "discuss certain questions arising out of this recognition which require settlement".

These questions, one may easily guess, include such matters as the relation between Czechs and Slovaks, the frontiers of the Republic, its relation with its neighbours and its economic and political role in a new Europe.

There will be difficult problems to be settled in Middle and Eastern Europe when the German domination has been broken.

A mere dumb attempt to put the clock back and restore the unstable "status quo" is unthinkable.

The recognition of the Czechoslovak Provisional Government means that the British Government is convinced that the new Europe will have to include a free Czechoslovak State.

Beyond that it will be premature to draw any deductions.

Indore Maharaja's Appeal To His Subjects

INDORE, July 29.

H. H. The Maharaja of Indore has offered his six-seater plane—"Air Speed Envoy" to the British War Ministry.

His Highness is returning from England to India to personally supervise the war efforts in the State.

Just before his departure for India, H. H. the Maharaja, in the course of a message to his subjects, stated, "to those of you who can afford it—I ask you to give unstintedly to the war fund. To those of you cannot afford to give—I ask you to pray for the liberation of the oppressed and for the freedom of the world from Nazi oppression."

Mr. C. B. Mehta, President of the Indian Merchants' Chamber gave a party to Sir A. Ramaswami Mudaliar at the Taj last Saturday.

NETHERLANDS AND WAR

Queen Wilhelmina Opens B. B. C. Dutch Programme

LONDON, July 28.

"The Netherlands will carry on the war until the morrow of a free and happy future dawns," declared Queen Wilhelmina, inaugurating the new Dutch programme to be given daily by the B. B. C. Speaking in Dutch, Queen Wilhelmina declared that the war revealed itself more and more clearly as a war between good and evil—a battle between God and our conscience on the one hand, and forces of darkness, now in the ascendant, on the other hand.

SACRED SUFFERINGS

The Queen added: "What is at stake is the liberty of those world over, who wish to work for the good of mankind and to do so without being frustrated by evil-doers. Just as in earlier days neither force of arms nor flames of the stake, nor impoverishment nor suffering has succeeded in exterminating our love of liberty, our freedom of conscience and religion. So I remain convinced that we and all who think with us, will emerge from the ordeal strengthened and chastened through our sacred sufferings".

UNSHAKABLE UNITY

Queen Wilhelmina continued: "Our beloved flag flies proudly on the seas in Great Netherlands in the East and West. Side by side with our Allies our gallant men continue the struggle. Our Empire overseas which had given such a striking proof of sympathy in the calamity which struck the motherland, is more closely attached to us in thinking and feeling than even before. With unshakable unity we intend to vindicate the independence of all our territories."—Reuter.

GODAVARIS MISRA JUSTIFIES HIMSELF!

CUTTACK, July 28.

"At the last elections, when I stood as a Congress candidate I made no secret that the Congress had at last come to adopt my way. It was not palatable to some of my colleagues, but nevertheless, it was the hard truth", says Pandit Godavaris Misra in a statement to the press in regard to the Working Committee's resolution.

Mr. Misra adds, "I am surprised that the Working Committee has not yet been able to realise that notwithstanding all its professions, the declared policy of the Congress as it is presently interpreted has undergone a complete metamorphosis for all practical purposes, not to the best interests of the country.

Proceeding Mr. Misra says that the question of his and Mr. Mangaraj's resigning their seats do not arise. If there have been any parliamentary conventions the Congress authorities have contravened them.

The Working Committee is resorting to disciplinary action without trying to go into the merits of particular questions.

Concluding he says that under the present circumstances the formation of ministries in the provinces as well as in the centre is absolutely necessary, but it must not be on the lines of Congress Ministries, which suffered in this helpless country for two and a half years.—A. P.

Holwell Monument To Be Shifted To Churchyard

CALCUTTA, July 29.

The "United Press" understands that preliminary steps have been taken by the Government to implement the Chief Minister's statement made in the Bengal Legislative Assembly regarding the removal of the Holwell Monument.

It is further understood that the Monument will shortly be shifted to some churchyard in Calcutta.—United Press.

NEXT CONGRESS IN TAMIL NAD?

Satyamurti Meets Azad

POONA, July 29.

The Congress Working Committee met informally this morning for half an hour and is understood to have discussed the venue of the next Congress Session. No final decision, however, was arrived at, but it appears that a majority of the members favoured Tamil Nad for the purpose, particularly in view of the inability expressed by Punjab members to make arrangements for holding the next Session in the Punjab in so short a time.

Mr. S. Satyamurti, M. L. A., (Central), Mayor of Madras, met the Congress President this morning personally in the same connection.—United Press.

Congress To Contest Sind By-election

KARACHI, July 29.

Nominations for a seat on Sind Assembly rendered vacant by the murder of H. S. Pamnani, M.L.A. (Congress) from Sukkur East General Rural Constituency have been invited on August 7. The voting will take place on August 29 and the counting will be held on September 6.

The Sind Congress Parliamentary Sub-Committee has invited applications from candidates intending to contest elections on behalf of the Congress.—A. P.

SUPPORT TO GODAVARIS MISRA

CUTTACK, July 29.

Mr. Dibakar Patnaik, member of the Congress Party in the Orissa Assembly and President of the Ganjam District Board, has, it is learnt, sent a telegram to Babu Rajendra Prasad, intimating that he is "definitely supporting" Pandit Godavaris Misra in his move to form a Coalition Ministry in the Province.—A. P.

NEXT TO HINDUS AND MUSLIMS

Britain Has Done Greatest Service To Civilisation

Respect For Human Personality In Midst Of War Shows England's Character, Says C. R.

POONA, July 29.

Difficulties relating to the constitution need not and should not stand in the way of the British Government accepting the Congress demand, declared Mr. C. Rajagopalachari addressing an audience of students at Congress House this morning.

He admired the Britishers' respect for their constitution but constitution was like an apparel that could be changed and not the skin itself.

Mr. Rajagopalachari referred to the new weapon of propaganda that had recently entered the affairs of men and how effectively it was being used in the present warfare.

They should not take this in, but just as the activised carbon in a gas mask makes a gas attack ineffective they should meet the propaganda attack by the use of their intellect, by thinking for themselves.

It was wrong to be speculating and forecasting as people did in current affairs. What they should do was to make up their own minds after a reasonable amount of thinking on current problems.

Instead of their speculating on what the British Government might do or might not do they should begin to concentrate, on what they must do.

In this connection the speaker referred to the great effectiveness of private conversations for creating opinion as against the radio and the press.

If people ceased to speculate, made up their minds on problems facing them and if they discussed these in their private conversation, the volume of opinion that could be created in the country would be irresistible.

Mr. Rajagopalachari proceeded to refer to British character and remarked that next to the Hindus and Mussalmans they had done the greatest service to civilisation.

Even under the conditions of war there was still respect in Britain for the individual and for the human personality.

This was in contrast to what they saw in the dictator countries where there was nothing but regimentation in everything. This mean complete suppression of the individual. All thinking was done exclusively by a few at the top and the rest obeyed.

Mr. Rajagopalachari characterised this as a seedless civilisation. It would have to end with those leaders, who were after all human.

AZAD ON SUCCESS OF A.I.C.C. SESSION

POONA, July 29.

The Congress Working Committee has authorised Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Congress President to give his decision on the question of the venue of the next session of the Congress.

"I am completely satisfied with the proceedings of the All-India Congress Committee session which has just ended" said Maulana Abul Kalam Azad in an interview to the Associated Press.

The Maulna added the volume of opposition indicated by the speeches and voting only showed the bitterness against the British Government which ought to take note of this and take action before it was too late.

Maulana Abul Kalam Azad is leaving for Bombay to-night whence he will proceed to Calcutta via Wardha halting there for a day.

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and Mr. Bhulabhai Desai left for Bombay this morning

Mr. Rajagopalachari and Babu Rajendra Prasad are leaving for Madras via Wardha this afternoon.

Other leaders and members of the All-India Congress Committee still in Poona are leaving either this evening or to-morrow.—A. P.

"LAWLESSNESS AND INSECURITY IN SIND"

Congress Party's Attitude Towards Ministry

KARACHI, July 28.

Grave concern at the "alarming state of lawlessness and insecurity prevailing in the province," and strong resentment at Government's alleged failure to take adequate and effective measures, to put an end to the state of affairs which has disorganised the economic life in the mofussil, were expressed by the joint meeting of the Executive Council of the Sind Provincial Congress Committee and Sind Assembly Party, in the course of a lengthy resolution, adopted by them after prolonged discussion lasting over two days.

CONDITIONAL SUPPORT.

The meeting also assured the Sind Ministry, that Congress Party would not associate itself with any move for the downfall of the Ministry, if the Government forthwith launched on a course of action embracing several measures required to meet the situation, and restore sense of security before the next session, in accordance with the undertaking they had given to the Congress deputation, not to flinch from adopting the most drastic measures called for the purpose.—A. P.

"CONGRESS DEMAND PERFECTLY REASONABLE"

POONA, July 29.

"I trust the significance of the vote of the A.I.C.C. yesterday on the Delhi resolution will not be lost on the British Government," says Mr. Satyamurthi commenting on the A.I.C.C. decision.

He adds, "On the basis of her independence, India, is anxious to fight with Great Britain to defeat Hitlerism. The defeat of the amendment that Indian materials and men should not be sent outside India is significant. The demand of the Congress is perfectly reasonable.

If the Viceroy was sincere in his Bombay speech, as I believe he was, there should be no difficulty in the way of Britain declaring India's independence today. The immediate consequence of it will not be the loss of Britain's prestige but gain in all freedom loving countries.

A free India will work with Great Britain in this war for the common end of the triumph of democracy and freedom, and after the war friendship as between two equals. A national Government at the centre is a natural corollary, and the condition precedent for India's full participation in the war. There is no question of swapping horses in the midstream. If Churchill could replace Chamberlain in the midst of the war surely representative Indians commanding the confidence of the people can easily replace old civilians and unrepresentative Indians.

The Congress asks for these as realists to enable them to say to the Indian people that this war is as much for their as for Britain's or the world's. But time is of the essence of the thing. Pandit Jawaharlal's question to Rajagopalachariar is a pointer."—A. P.

The Ministry of Information announces that the Earl of Perth who has been Chief Adviser on Foreign Publicity to the Ministry of Information since the earliest months of the war has resigned consequent upon certain changes in the organisation of the higher staff of the Ministry.

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